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East End Kenduskeag Bridge

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THE BANGOR WEEKLY COURIER

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Real Estate.

House for Sale or Rent.

Three desirable houses pleasantly located on Essex Street, with stables, for rent low ALSO, One single House for sale on favorable terms by GEO W LADD, Phenix Block.

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TO LET.

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Double tenement on Howard Street, with 40 000 feet of land on Cumberland and Howard Streets.

Cottage house on Carroll Street, near Third Street

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Cottage house East side of Pine street, between York and Hancock streets

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Enquire of

HINCKLEY & EGERY IRON CO.,

Corner of Oak and Washington Streets.

Bangor Oct 5th 1878 MW&F

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SURGEON DENTIST,

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WHITING S. CLARK,

Counsellor and Attorney at Law,

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Furniture and Merchandise

OF ALL KINDS

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FILES.

THE TIME ... I have

1000 Dozen Files

... per week which I

... Prices,

... warrant them equal to any imported.

Old Files Re Cut, as usual

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JOHN H. LARKIN,

SILAS D JONES & SONS,

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All of the Evangeline Music

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... well known Barber Shop

GRANITE BLOCK,

... I am prepared to give ... the best work that can be ...

... Best Hair Cutter ... city

... and you will Come Again

IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC CIGARS,

... always on hand

Respectfully

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... that gives full and latest ... from all the great

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Baring Brothers & Co.,

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... correspondents. ... sell FOREIGN EXCHANGES and TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFERS on EUROPE, CALIFORNIA and the BRITISH PROVINCES. Stocks, Bonds, and all U. S. Securities, ... Bond Orders executed in this and other markets.

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Mirrors Brushes and Combs in setts or single We have the most complete line of these elegant goods east of New York City

CALDWELL SWEET & BRO.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

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Wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has purchased the Stock of MR. H H BUTLER, Apothecary

No. 4 Kenduskeag Bridge,

where he would be pleased to have them call and examine his goods and prices

A FULL STOCK OF

TOILET GOODS,

PATENT MEDICINES, CIGARS, &c,

ON HAND

Physicians Prescriptions carefully and accurately compounded Remember the place

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NOW IS THE TIME TO INSURE!

Special Inducements

are now offered by the old

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all persons contemplating insurance the particulars of which may be learned on application to

CHAS. P. WIGGIN,

LOCAL AGENT.

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$86,000,000!

The following results of Policies recently paid show the superior advantages of insuring with this GREAT Company The annual cash dividends in all these cases exceeded the annual premiums varying from 100 to 150 per cent These policies were accordingly more than self sustaining

No of Policy	Amount of Policy	Dividend Additions	Amount Paid
14	$ 2 000	$ 2 717	$ 4 717
11	10 000	14 34	24 34?
2 831	1 500	2 11?	3 612
3 4 8	4 000	5,106	[illegible]
3 8 8	5 000	6 19	11,1?2
[illegible]	0.0	2,8??	4,5?6
8 30	2 ?00	4 0?9	5,569
[illegible]	5 000	5,806	10 806
10 290	4 000	4 352	8 352
[illegible]	3 000	3 587	6 587
[illegible]	10 000	10 283	20 283
15 844	5 000	5 336	10 336

No other Company has ever shown such results No safer or better investment can be made than in a policy with this old Company

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THE UNIVERSAL

Family Dough Mixer and Kneader.

Patented July 23, 1878

This circular is designed to call your attention to the above model, representing the most *simple and practical* "FAMILY DOUGH MIXER," ever presented to the public

It is neat in construction, rapid in motion and thorough in its work, doing the whole business of Mixing Beating, and Kneading without the aid of a spoon or touching the hands to the dough.

This Machine is not confined in its work to the mixing and making of Bread only but is equally efficient in making Sponge and all other kinds of Cake, doing the entire work in the *quickest* and *most thorough* manner

We claim that, in the production of light, clean, wholesome, well mixed Bread and Cake, and in saving of time and labor, this little Mixer and Kneader surpasses anything ever before offered to the public.

It occupies only the space of the pan, and is so arranged that the Machine is easily removed from the dough, and is easy to clean.

A lady can *sit* and mix her Bread and Cake with this Machine, holding the pan in her lap.

Any family having one of these Mixers and Kneaders in use would not part with it for ten times its price, which places it within the reach of every family in the land In two sizes

THOMPSON & KELLOGG,

AGENTS,

22 and 24 Central Street.

Bangor Dec 7, 1878

District Court of the United States, District of Maine.

In the matter of FELIX QUINN, Bankrupt,

IN BANKRUPTCY.

This is to give notice that a Petition has been presented to the Court, this 11th day of December, 1878, by Felix Quinn, of Bangor, a Bankrupt, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts provable under the Bankrupt Act, and upon reading said petition,

It is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same, on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1879, before the Court in Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock, A. M, and that the 2d meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt be held before Chas Hamlin, Esq, Register, on the 7th day of Jan., 1879, and the third meeting of the same on the 7th day of January, 1879, and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier and the Piscataquis Observer, newspapers printed in said District, once a week for three successive weeks, and once in the weekly Bangor Courier, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the day of hearing, and that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest, may appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WM. P. PREBLE,

Clerk of District Court for said District.

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NOTICE.

Application will be made to the next Legislature for authority by an act of incorporation to improve the Penobscot River, between Medway and the Penobscot Boom, for driving logs with a suitable toll.

J. W. PALMER and others.

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FRANK D. PULLEN

Calls the attention of the public to his Large and Well Selected Stock of

WINTER CLOTHING.

If you want to see the best

ULSTERS, OVERCOATS, REEFERS, BUSINESS SUITS, DRESS SUITS, AND IN FACT THE BEST LINE OF CLOTHING IN THIS CITY, CALL AT

FRANK D. PULLEN'S, 19 Exchange St.

We have a Job Lot of PANTS, some 400 pairs or more, consisting of Fine Doeskin Worsteds, Harris Rock, Cassimeres Sawyers &c &c which we are selling at Greatly Reduced Prices The Price list of all our Goods will be found in our Store, which we will guarantee below the lowest Our Stock of BOOTS SHOES HATS, CAPS OVER SHOES, RUBBERS, is complete and in short everything in the Furnishing Goods line and at bottom prices

FRANK D. PULLEN,

19 Exchange Street.

(Near European & North American R R Depot

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SPAVIN & RINGBONES.

CURED FREE OF COST.

GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE AMMONIA. Spavins, Splints and Ringbones cured without Blemish. Send for pamphlet containing full information to DR. WM. M. GILES, 120 West Broadway, N. Y. Use only for horses the Liniment in yellow wrappers Sold by all Druggists. Trial bottles, 25 cents.

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CUSTOM WORK.

MR. CHAS. E. HANSCOM, the well known Custom Boot Maker, wishes to inform the public that he has connected himself with FRANK W. ROLLINS, at No. 18 Main Street, where he will take charge of all MEASURES and FITTING, and will be pleased to see all his old customers and give them a first-class BOOT or SHOE of any description.

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GETCHELL, LEIGHTON & CO., PLUMBERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

GALVANIZED GUTTERS AND VENTILATORS,

And Dealers in Drain Pipe.

29 CENTRAL STREET.

July24

... HOUSE, Lewiston, Me.

The Proprietors, formerly of the Franklin House, Bangor, having leased this commodious Hotel for a term of years are now prepared to entertain their old friends and the travelling public generally The Hotel is pleasantly situated on the Corner of Pine and Park Streets nearly opposite City Building and Post Office overlooking the Park and forming one of the most beautiful locations in the State It is also convenient to the principal places of business It has all the modern conveniences of Steam Bath Rooms, Sample Rooms, Billiard Hall Also a first class Livery Stable Carriages are always in waiting to take guests to and from the trains

ROYAL QUIMBY, EBEN MURCH, } Proprietors,

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HINCKLEY & EGERY IRON COMPANY,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Water Wheels, Clapboard Machines, Ross Gang Lath Mill and Richardson's Gang Edgers. Rotary Bed Planers, Bangor Bark Mill.

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...

THE TIMES ARE HARD The weather unfavorable to sell heavy Clothing Bound to close on Stock WILL MAKE THE GREATEST SACRIFICE ON RECORD

Five Hundred Dollars Reward if you can beat the quality and prices

Boys' Warm Overcoats, age 3 to 8, only $1 25	Men's Wool Pants lined 90 cents
Boys' Suits and Overcoats for $4 00	Men's Heavy Overcoats flannel lined 2 25
Boys' well made Chinchilla and Elysian Ulsters, $3 00	Men's Union Beaver Overcoats, lasting lined $3 50
Men's Heavy Ulsters, $4 75	Men's Wool Suits, and Heavy Overcoats, $6 50
Men's Elysian Overcoats, $4 00	Men's All Wool Beaver Overcoats, $8 50

A number of extra fine Custom made Overcoats and Ulsters to be slaughtered rather than to carry them over In Children's and Boy's Suits, fine Overcoats, a large assortment which must be sold Come and see what I now offer at the

"Boss" Clothing House.

Sign of the Dressed Man. 77 EXCHANGE ST.

J. WATERMAN.

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District Court of the United States. District of Maine.

In the matter of WILLIAM A JENNISON, Bankrupt,

IN BANKRUPTCY

This is to give notice that a petition has been presented to the Court, this 5th day of December 1878, by William A. Jennison of Bangor, a Bankrupt, individually and as a member of the firm of A. S Jennison & Son, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts, individual and copartnership, provable under the Bankrupt Act, and upon reading said Petition

It is Ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same, on the first Monday of February, A D 1879, before the Court in Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock, A. M, and that the third meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt, be held before Chas Hamlin, Esq, Register on the 7th day of January, 1879, and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier and the Piscataquis Observer, newspapers printed in said District, once a week for three successive weeks, and once in the weekly Bangor Courier, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the day of hearing, and that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest, may appear at said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said Petition should not be granted

WM P PREBLE,

Clerk of District Court for said District.

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District Court of the United States. District of Maine

In the matter of ELIJAH A. RICKER, Bankrupt,

IN BANKRUPTCY.

This is to give notice that a petition has been presented to the Court, this 5th day of December, 1878, by Elijah A. Ricker, of Pittsfield, a Bankrupt, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts provable under the Bankrupt Act, and upon reading said petition,

It is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same, on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1879, before the Court in Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and that the second meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt, be held before Chas. Hamlin, Esq., Register, on the 15th day of January, 1879, and the third meeting of the same on the 16th day of January, 1879, and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier and the Somerset Reporter, newspapers printed in said District, once a week for three successive weeks, and once in the weekly Bangor Courier, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the day of hearing, and that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest, may appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said Petition should not be granted.

WM. P. PREBLE.

Clerk of District Court for said District.

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AN ERROR!

Parties wishing for

PIANOS OR ORGANS

must not close a trade until they have first got prices of C. F. SAWTELLE, 76 Main Street, Bangor, for if they do they surely COMMIT AN ERROR Never has such trades been offered as you can get here until January 1st, 1879

THE $8 PIANO

is all and more than it is represented.

Agents wanted for the same in principal villages

MUSICAL MERCHANDISE of all kinds, as well as PIANOS AND ORGANS

MUST BE SOLD BEFORE JANUARY.

Remember the Place,

C. F. SAWTELLE,

76 MAIN ST., BANGOR.

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Buy Your Young Man

A Meerschaum Pipe, Cigar Holder, or a bunch of fine Cigars (if he will smoke)

At SWEET'S DRUG STORE.

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... FLOWERS,

BUCKSPORT,

Floral designs for all occasions made to order The quality and style of Mr Moses' work in this line has not been surpassed by any Boston Artist.

Holiday Bouquets and Flowers!

Please send in orders early for Christmas, to ensure better satisfaction than if you wait till the last moment. Our supply will be abundant but the first orders will get the best flowers.

N. S. HARLOW,

dec10 2w Agent for Moses' Conservatories.

MRS. JAMES GOULT,

Clairvoyant Physician,

Residence 28 Lincoln Street,

BANGOR, ME.

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IF YOU ARE

Thinking of buying a CHRISTMAS PRESENT that will be acceptable, useful and cheap, don't fail to call and examine the large stock and variety of goods with which our Store is filled

WE CAN

show you a very extensive line of Ladies, Gents and Children's GLOVES AND MITTENS, in Fur trimmed, Spring wrist, Fleece and Plush lined in Kid Buck and Castor

Ladies' and Misses, Men and Boys Fur Caps Men's Scotch Driving and Havelock Caps Boys Scotch and Cloth Caps, and a splendid line of

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs for Ladies and Gentlemen in New and desirable patterns

Ladies Fancy Slippers Gents Fancy Slippers in Velvet Broadcloth Maroon Goat, &c

Boys and Misses Toilet Slippers

Warm Boots in Felt cs in all styles

Ladies Furs in Seal Sable, Astrachan, &c, at bottom prices

FUR TRIMMINGS all kinds

DON'T FORGET

that we always have a very large stock of Ladies and Misses French Kid Goat and American Kid Button and Side Lace Boots and in fact, every thing to be found in a first class Boot and Shoe Store

... & S...

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WHITE'S SAFETY LAMP

Truly a great Invention

$1000 Reward for Its Equal.

N B With this safety burner—

1 The lamp is extinguished when overturned

2 The lamp is extinguished when broken

3 The lamp is extinguished without blowing down the chimney

4 The lamp is extinguished without turning down the wick

It fits any lamp

Agents wanted

Samples sent by mail for 25 cents

For particulars address,

H. C. DUDLEY, Bangor, Me.

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We still have a very complete Stock of

BONNETS & HATS,

in all the best shapes

Also Fancy Feathers, Two-Toned Ribbons, Plaid Plushes and all the Stylish Novelties of the Season.

WE SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE

C. W. COFFIN,

19 Main Street.

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HOLIDAY GOODS.

Santa Claus and old Criscringle have put their heads together and made the

BANGOR BAZAR

Headquarters for Toys and Fancy Goods

"Scoot, Brothers, Scoot,"

To the BANGOR BAZAR for your Christmas Presents

Games, all kinds, old and new,

Dolls & Toys of every description

Sleds,

Doll Carriages,

Cradles,

Swings,

Baskets,

Albums,

and thousands of Toys, just the thing to please the little folks.

Remember,

THE BAZAR

Is the place for Toys and Fancy Goods

H. W. DURGIN.

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PENOBSCOT MUTUAL

Fire Insurance Company.

FORTY-SECOND Annual Report, A D. 1878

The Board of Directors of the Penobscot Mutual Fire Insurance Company, to show the state of the funds and standing of the Company present the following statement

POLICIES

Number in force, as per last annual report		3 006
" terminated the past year,	998	
" issued the past year,	588	
		410
Number now in force,		2 596

RISKS

Am't at risk as per last annual report,		$2,760 190 00
terminated the past year	$95? 8?5	
taken the past year,	470,766	489 119 00
now at risk,		$2,?77 080 00

PREMIUM NOTES

Am't in force per last Annual Report		136 030 08
" terminated past year,	$47 23 24	
" taken the past year	2? ?.8 14	24 ?95 10
" now in force,		$11? 135 98

CASH RECEIPTS

Am't of advance assessment, 6 per cent on premium notes	443 71
" cash received from Agents,	?97 35
" " loans from sundry persons,	22,000 00
" Twelfth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth assessments,	2,072 62
" Fifteenth assessment,	30,341 07
" Carpenters risk, and interest,	33 9
" Money retained,	511 60
Balance of cash in hands of Treasurer per last Annual Report,	1,862 88
	$58,270 42

DISBURSEMENTS

To paid sundry losses,	20,907 02
" loans,	31,250 00
" interest on loans,	985 41
" expenses, including adjusting losses	1,976 74
" commissions on collections, including making 15th assessment,	1,976 59
" agents, and returned to agents	777 47
" surrendered policies,	179 32
" money retained,	261 00
" Fourteenth assessment,	?4 00
To cash in Second National Bank	429 17
To cash in office in hands of Treasurer,	493 66
	$58 270 42

LIABILITIES

Sundry Loans,	$15 528 00
Interest due on Loans,	1 322 60
Money retained	1,317 45
Amount due Agents	11 34
Losses reported not paid,	2,287 50
	20,466 89

ASSETS

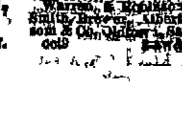
Thirteenth Assessment,	2,576 70
Fourteenth Assessment,	3 066 51
Fifteenth Assessment,	21 409 27
Amount due from and in hands of Agents,	748 11
Cash in Bank and in hands of Treasurer,	832 57
Amount of Premium Notes in force,	112,135 88
	$139,569 44

A true report, Attest,

CHARLES F WIGGIN, Sec'y and Treasurer.

Bangor, May 1, 1878. d&w6w dec18

A Friend in Need!



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Whig and Courier.

Daily Established 1834—Weekly, 1815

TERMS OF ADVERTISING:

For one square (one inch in space) one insertion	$1 00
For one square, two insertions	1 25
For one square, three times in the Daily	1 50
For one square, one week	2 00
Each week's continuance	75
For half square one time	75
For half square, three times	1 00
For half square one week	1 25
Each week's continuance	40
For one square in Weekly, three times	1 50
Each week's continuance	25

SPECIAL NOTICES

$2 50 per square for first week—$1.00 per square for continuance

DOUBLE COLUMN ADVERTISEMENTS inserted at the rate of "Special Notices"

Advertisements continued *three times a week* at two thirds price, *two times a week*, one half price, *one time a week*, one third price

Advertisements, where the time of insertion is not specially designated, will be continued until otherwise ordered

All transient advertising must be paid for in advance

Advertisements under the head of "Business Notices" 10 cents per line, each insertion for solid matter and 15 cents per line for leaded

NEW PUBLICATIONS

MOTHER TRUTH'S MELODIES We have under this title a volume of two hundred odd pages of rhymes with elaborate illustrations specially designed for the children Its rhymes have the jingling melody of Mother Goose, and yet each one together with the illustration accompanying it is designed to teach the young reader some matter of common sense It is a capital holiday book G W Carleton & Co publishers, New York For sale at Bugbee's

A SHORT HISTORY OF THE FRENCH PEOPLE. This is a small volume but it contains a very complete historical account of this people beginning at the time when France was known by the name of Gaul It is rare that one gets so very much condensed within the limits of such a volume, and yet not stripped of that interest which attaches to the description or the earlier life of a people The work is translated from the French of Paul Lacombe Published by Henry A Young & Co, Boston For sale at Bugbee's

MRS MERRIAM'S SCHOLARS This is a volume of the Ten Times One Series, and is the story of the Original Ten by Edward E Hale, and the best idea of the volume and series is obtained from the following quotation from the preface in which the author says

"It has been eight years since I published a little book called Ten Times One is Ten Among the actors in its story are persons who reappear in Mrs Merriam's Scholars * * * I have always wanted to take up one or two of the 'dropped stitches' in it, by showing, in a few details what have been the methods of the action, of life on life, of some of the people whom I have known, who have lived up to the inspiration of the 'Four Mottoes' of that book * * * The book in the reader's hands is written to carry out this wish It will be followed by three other volumes describing in similar detail the start in life of Rachel Fredet's three school companions These four books with Ten Times One is Ten will make up the series

The volume above mentioned is one of intense interest, and will be widely read as the whole series ought to be Roberts Brothers Boston publishers For sale at Bugbee

LADY HUCKLEBERRY Enlarges on Her Husband's Follies This is a volume in paper covers and is a continuation of the Irene Maggillicuddy papers which levels a sharp and caustic sarcasm at many of the follies of the day The latter half of the book is devoted to a bright little story of a yachting party G W Carleton & Co, New York, publishers For sale at Bugbee's

WIDOW CHERRY or the Mystery of Roaring Meg a novel by B L Farjeon comes to us from G W Carleton & Co, in paper covers It is a very good story of the rather rough life among the gold miners, told with thrilling interest For sale at Bugbee's

THE BEACONSFIELD CARTOONS We have received through Chas Hight, who has them for sale a very neat volume containing one hundred and eight caricatures, by Leech, Doyle, and Tenniel, illustrating the whole political career of Disraeli from his entrance into parliament in 1843 to the present time These cartoons are the same that have appeared in the London Punch, but are improved by their reproduction on the best of paper and being examined in a series, as in this case, are doubly interesting and amusing Some of them are especially happy in design and application, but as a whole they do not equal the masterly productions which the famous Nast places before American readers The book does its publishers, Estes and Lauriat, Boston, great credit for the excellent style and finish they have given it.

NEW MAGAZINES

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for January, both for its elegance of illustration and the quality of the literary matters it contains is exceptionally good even for so sterling a publication as it ever is, and the initial number of the new year is in every way worthy of the well earned reputation which it has among all classes of readers. It opens with an illustrated sketch of Liverpool which is of great interest and gives one a very much better idea than could otherwise save it be by a personal visit, be obtained of England's great seaport Another very interesting and finely illustrated article is devoted to the homes, habits, wars, etc., of the red, black and yellow ants. "A Reporter's Romance," an illustrated story, is the third paper of the number and it is a capital one too. Part I. of "Rambles in the South of France" is made doubly instructive and interesting by fine illustrations. Another feature of the number which is specially attractive is "Cloisonne Enamel" with illustrations of ceramic ornamentation. The meeting of the "Royal" on Durham Down is a superbly illustrated article on ploughs, from the single implement to the steam apparatus which turns numerous furrows at once Another finely illustrated paper "Home" gives a sketch of setting up a home in Old Virginia. Among other matters also of interest are, Rosseau, with portraits; "Ye Hag," an illustrated poem in ancient text, The Necklace, a poem; Maria del Occidente, with portrait, The Great Harvest Year, a poem, together with the conclusion of the fine story McLeod of Dare, illustrated, The Image of Donati, a Christmas story, The Return of the Native, from chapter X, book fifth to chapter IV, Book 6. There is a so for the reader besides this large amount of reading matter, illustrations, etc., briefly mentioned above, the usual large amount given in the Editor's Easy Chair, Editor's Literary Review Editor's Scientific Record and The Drawer, which last always contains material for several hearty laughs The January number is now on Bugbee's counters for sale.

RESTRICTION AND PREVENTION OF DIPTHERIA

Because diptheria has been and may be expected again to be widely prevalent, and is a formidable and fatal disease and because it is believed to be a disease very largely preventable the State Board of Health desires to disseminate as widely as possible among the people of this State the knowledge of certain facts and principles which seem to be well established, as to the nature and causes of the disease and the rational means for its restriction and prevention

Nature of the disease —Diphtheria is primarily or secondarily a constitutional or blood poisoning disease It attacks persons of all classes and ages but most frequently children under sixteen years of age

In ordinary cases the poisonous principle of diphtheria probably enters the blood by way of the mouth and air passages

The period of incubation of diphtheria or the time from a person's exposure to the disease of his coming down with it varies somewhat, being usually from a few hours to seven or eight days in some cases it is twelve or fourteen days

Its most frequent local manifestations are in the mouth throat and air passages When in the mouth or upper part of the throat only, the disease is as a rule, less dangerous and fatal, but none the less contagious, than when in the air passages below the fauces

The specific contagium developed by the disease itself and by which it spreads is diffused by the exhalations (breath, perspiration, etc) of the patient, through the air immediately surrounding him as well as by clothing or other solid substances that have been brought into contact with the products of the disease

As a rule the virulence or malignancy of the contagium is in direct proportion to the severity of the case from which it emanates though malignant cases may result from exposure to a mild case

The more this contagium is allowed to accumulate in the room where the patient lies the more powerful does it become

Restriction of Diphtheria Diphtheria is a contagious disease and hence the strict observance of the following precautions is of very great importance

1 Every person known to be sick with this disease should be promptly and effectually isolated from the public one or two persons only should take the entire charge of the patient, and they should be restricted in their intercourse with other persons

2 The room into which one sick with diphtheria is placed should previously be cleared of all needless clothing carpets drapery and other materials likely to harbor the poison of the disease This room should constantly receive a liberal supply of fresh air without currents or drafts directly upon the patient It will be well also to have the sun shine directly into the room

3 In order that the guardians of the public may have early warning *it is important that every case of diphtheria be promptly reported to the local board of health*

4 The duties of householders physicians and Boards of Health as specified in the Compiled Laws of Michigan 1871 should be rigidly enforced These duties are as follows

(Householders and physicians shall immediately notify local boards of health of any disease dangerous to the public health under penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars Boards of Health should use all possible care to prevent the spreading of the infection The mayor and aldermen of cities and the president and council or trustees of villages shall exercise all the powers and perform all the duties of a Board of Health)

5 The discharges from the throat nose and mouth are extremely liable to communicate the disease and should be received on soft rags or pieces of cloth which should be immediately burned

6 The discharges from the kidneys and bowels are also dangerous and should be passed on old clothes and burned or into vessels kept thoroughly disinfected by nitrate of lead, chloride of zinc or sulphate of iron (copperas) and then be buried at least 100 feet distant from any well

(Copperas dissolved in as little hot water as will dissolve it, is a good disinfectant for this purpose)

7 Nurses and attendants should be required to keep themselves and their patient as clean as possible, their own hands should be frequently washed and disinfected by chlorinated soda

8 Soiled bed and body linen should at once be placed in boiling water or in water containing chlorinated soda, chlorinated lime, or solution of chloride of zinc

9 All persons recovering from diphtheria should be considered dangerous and therefore no such person should be permitted to associate with others or to attend school, church or any public assembly until in the judgment of a careful and intelligent physician he can do so without endangering others.

10 The body of a person who has died of diphtheria should as early as practicable be placed in the coffin with disinfectants and the coffin should then be tightly closed Afterwards the body should not be exposed to view except through glass

11 No public funeral should be held at a house in which there is a case of diphtheria, nor in which a death from diphtheria has recently occurred No children at least, and it would be better in most cases that few adults should attend such a funeral

12. The room in which there has been a case of diphtheria, whether fatal or not should, with all its contents, be thoroughly disinfected by exposure for several hours to strong fumes of chlorine gas, or of burning sulphur, and then if possible it should for several days be exposed to currents of fresh air.

To disinfect an ordinary room with chlorine gas Having closed all the openings of the room place in it in an open earthern dish containing four ounces of peroxide of manganese Pour on this one pound of strong muriatic acid being careful not to breathe the fumes When certain that continuous evolution of chlorine is taking place, leave the room and close the door

To generate sulphurous acid gas, put live coals on top of ashes in a metallic pan and place on the coals sulphur in powder or fragments

(A convenient way is to place the coals and sulphur on a heated stove plate or cover turned bottom upwards in a pan half filled with ashes. To disinfect 100 cubic feet of air requires the thorough burning of about one and one half ounces of sulphur)

13 After a death or recovery from diphtheria, the clothing bedding, carpets, mats, and other clothes which have been exposed to the contagium of the disease should either be burned, exposed to super heated steam, to a degree of dry heat equal to 240° F, or be thoroughly boiled

The foregoing methods of disinfection are applicable in all contagious diseases.

Preventive Measures.

14. Avoid the special contagium of the disease.

15 Beware of crowded assemblies in ill-ventilated rooms

(All influences which depress the vital powers and vitiate the fluids of the body tend to promote the development and spread of this disease Among these influences, perhaps the most common and powerful are *impure air* and *impure water* Because of this, and as a means of lessening the danger of contracting almost all other diseases, the following precaution should always be taken, but more particularly during the prevalence of any such disease as this.)

16. The ground under and around the house should be well drained.

17. No vegetable or animal matter should be allowed to decompose on the surface of the ground near the house.

18. If any soap-factory, slaughter-house, rendering establishment or other source of foul odors contaminate the air which you and your children daily breathe, take immediate measures through your local board of health officer to have such nuisance abated

19 Your *own privy* especially should at all times be thoroughly disinfected by dry earth coal ashes or copperas water, and the receptacle should be so constructed as to be water tight and to be tightly covered when removed to be emptied and it should be often enough to prevent the air about it from becoming offensive and in cold weather so far as possible

20 Your whole house and especially its sleeping rooms, *should be well ventilated*

21 Your ... it should be frequently washed, and always kept clear of decomposing vegetable or other substance

22 No cesspool should be allowed in the house if there be one, it should either be removed or be thoroughly and frequently disinfected with sulphate of iron (copperas)

23 Your ... should be looked to with scrupulous care to see that they are well trapped kept clean and ventilated into the open air

24 Your house should not have uninterrupted connection with a sewer Be sure that the water traps do not permit the entrance of sewer gas into the house that they enter the sewer through an open air ... or at least that ... freely ventilated to the open air

25 Be sure that your ... water is not contaminated by ... drainage or by leakage from the drain ... pipes sewer cesspool or vault ... *Board of Health.*

STATE NEWS.

Androscoggin

The Friday fire makes three within a week in Lewiston which in all probability have been lighted by fire bugs Owners of combustible property ... generally compelled to keep watch ... open

The Lewiston Mill Manufacturing company is repairing the damage on the wood mill and the pump factory caused by the flood The shaft between the two buildings has been strengthened by new supports The repairs will be completed so that Messrs Hobbs & Clark can start up again in three or four days

Cumberland

The Portland Press says Mr C Kinsley drove the Yarmouth express to Portland Friday in place of his son While loading some goods on Smith's wharf he was standing on the thills The horse suddenly started and Mr Kinsley was thrown a distance of nine feet striking on his head and shoulder The latter was not only dislocated but some of the ligaments were torn off

Mrs Hannah Watt a maiden lady ... years of age stepped into her door yard Sunday and slipping, sustained a bad fracture of the hip which at her advanced age is expected by physicians to prove fatal Miss W was formerly of Portland where the great fire of July 4th 1866 robbed her of considerable property ... which time she has resided in ... Falls owning a place on the ...

The Portland Press says ... that over a hundred men gathered ... drinking saloon on Munjoy Hill the other night to witness a fight between two negro women stripped ... before the affair had proceeded far the police got wind of the matter but the crowd took the alarm and ...

Kennebec

Daniel Smiley an aged and well known citizen of Vassalboro died at his residence near Getchell's Corner He was ... Mr Smiley was a member of the Society of Friends The widely known ... Sarah F Smiley ... and Rebecca Smiley of Providence ... highly gifted lady were daughters of the deceased Joseph Smiley the well known ... of North Vassalboro Albert K ... Principal of ... and Alfred ... Principal both proprietors of ... House situated west of the ... in the mountain scenery of New York ... sons of Mr S ... Daniel Smiley Jr recently graduated from ... College Haverford ... engaged as instructor in ... school Philadelphia

The other day ... sitting room of ... Augusta ... was burning ... was promptly put out ... Holmes ...

Somerset

The freshet of last week did ... amount of damage to roads bridges ... private property in Stark Every bridge in town except three in the village ... swept away The loss is estimated ... $3000 to $4000 The ... dam was washed out J M Greaton & Son had 15 sheep drowned in their barn yard and D Collins lost 11 of his ... sheep The water was some twelve ... higher at the village than ever before

Washington

Mr Joel Barry of Machias ... from paralysis He was attacked ... morning of December 12 ... His right side is nearly paralyzed ... is quite weak

Mr Wm B Taylor of Machias ... suddenly about 10 A M Dec 13 He had been in poor health for some time and the night proceeding his death he suffered much He arose from his bed and ... sitting in a chair he passed his wallet to his wife remarking This is for you ... died immediately He was formerly a resident of Calais or Milltown a native of New Brunswick, aged 0 years

The Calais Times says that James ... and Andrew Thurston of Calais went to the house of Mr John Dow of ... committed a shocking assault on Mrs Dow, who was alone threatening her with a knife Her screams finally brought neighbors to her assistance and ... escaped They were pursued and captured and committed to Machias jail for trial The latest report is that Mrs Dow is lying in a critical condition

York

Solomon True while at work on a building at Old Orchard Friday afternoon fell from a staging, a distance of twenty feet breaking his arm and receiving other injuries.

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MR WESTON'S BOOK AND SENATOR JONES

We recently received a copy of the neatly bound and printed volume of nearly three hundred pages entitled George M Weston's Report upon the Average Amount of Coin and Coinage in Circulation in the Several Countries of the World with Statistics of the Production of the Precious Metals in Various Countries Received by the Director of the Mint during the Fiscal Year 1878 This report has been incorporated in a number of the Executive Documents of the present session of Congress and is distributed to us among various periodicals on the Silver Question and this report has been the source of the so-called Silver Committee's report Mr Weston is a skilled controversialist and a very able and entertaining writer A familiarity with public affairs acquired during a long connection with the Treasury Department and incidental relations with Congressional affairs enables him to bring to his duties unusually upon a matter requiring executive decision and his skill in dealing with figures is displayed in the most convincing and conspicuous manner to be understood by the humblest reader In addition to these advantages we think it safe to assume that during the past three or four years Mr Weston has probably devoted more time and thought to the current and statistical history and operations of the Mint than any other man in the country As the Secretary of the Committee whose practical object was to secure the demonetization of silver he devoted all his time to the most elaborate examination of all available works on the subject and to the securing of all possible information in favor of the restoration of the Standard to the Fathers To say that Mr Weston took long to frame a very strong case in his side of the question would be to reply to admit but acknowledge fully but we think the careful reader of his report will find his admirable efforts to the authors kill constantly accompanied with the suggestion of how much stronger case he could have made if he had his own materials at command of information from the other side In the following pages and there assertions and statements that in the light of recent events will be turned powerfully against Mr Weston's line of argument by a reference to which ability than the author himself A thorough like a comprehensive review of the arguments presented in so extensive a medium would however be obviously impossible in a newspaper article and we shall simply refer to one or two interesting points which have afforded us much amusement

In the first of the author has added a brief preface referring to the action of the New York banks with regard to receiving silver on deposit and he says it will be for Congress to vindicate the sovereign rights of the country and to determine the measure of the punishment for banks which shall refuse to receive silver on deposit [laughter] who are not willing to receive it at par Mr Weston concludes his report with this remarkably glowing eulogy of the Congress about to expire

It would be equally presumptuous and unnecessary to make any suggestions to a body which more than any Congress which ever met has won public confidence by its unflinching intelligence, that will by the unbroken courage which it has confronted the grave and responsible duty of the political situation

After a brief account of the Congress which has kept the business of the country [illegible] and exhausted nearly every department the successful resumption of specie payments the reader would be well prepared for Mr Weston's [illegible] recommendation of a large amount of cheap silver But we were more especially struck by the introduction of the book by Senator Jones of Nevada the chairman of the Silver Commission, of which Mr Weston was Secretary The following are the emphatic words

No one has ever more completely and thoroughly pointed out the evil and pervading influence of the [illegible] upon all the relations of civilized man by which I think from no sacrifice of [illegible] and have never been diverted by attacks or threat or seductions of platforms in your efforts to protect the country from the ruin and distress from the [illegible] of an unstable and essentially fluctuating measure of value

It is for me therefore to dedicate this book to you and I have been influenced to do this by that admiration of your [illegible] which I feel in common with all your countrymen or by the presage of success as the leader of the restoration of silver to the United States after a century which has profoundly [illegible] the interests of the world than by the [illegible] conviction that you have devoted your life to the labor of financial questions [illegible] personal objects and not even from that [illegible] which is the last infirmity of the noble but from the generous ardor of your interest in the welfare of the masses of mankind

We were in Washington last winter during the latter portion of the debate on the Bland bill and remember the universal admiration of the argumentative ability, remarkable command of history and modern authorities powerful grouping of statistics, acuteness of logical deductions and superb [illegible] of style which characterized the speech of Senator Jones, of Nevada The business capacity and general ability of that Senator was appreciated by his associates but it was known that his literary advantages had been slight, and the name of Mr Weston was commonly and complimentarily associated with the masterly speech of his chairman We admired the ability of that speech while dissenting from its arguments but it reminded us of a former brilliant address delivered by Senator Jones, and caused us to query why the Mr Weston had not been using his influence in the vicinity of the Capitol in 1874 The former speech of Senator Jones was not only equally eloquent and powerful but it commanded our hearty indorsement and we regret that Mr Weston did not give it place in the appendix to his volume We have recently repernused it, and in view of Mr Weston's indorsement of the Senator's views, and also in view of the very near approach of that specie resumption for which Senator Jones so powerfully argued on the floor of the Senate, April 1 1874 we have felt impelled to present the following extracts for the benefit of our readers

Does this Congress mean now to leave entirely out of view and to discard forever a standard of value? Did any country ever accumulate wealth achieve greatness, or attain a high civilization without such standard? And *what but gold can be that standard?* What other thing on earth possesses the requisite qualities? Its value is represented by the average amount of labor required to produce it Its scarcity gives a small quantity of it great value, so that it is easily transported from place to place. It is capable of division and subdivision, and also of being re-united—all without loss It is in every commercial country made into coins and stamped, by national authority, with a certificate as to its fineness and weight It is flexible and self regulating, and flows by natural laws wherever the exigencies of trade demand it.

Gold is the articulation of commerce It is the most potent agent of civilization It is gold that has lifted the nations from barbarism. It has done more to organize society, to promote industry and insure its rewards, to inspire progress, to encourage science and the arts, than gunpowder, steam, and electricity

The use of gold had its origin in the necessities of mankind The human heart is stronger than all theories of government It will command the proper services of everybody at all times and in all places The necessities which compel its use are as inexorable to-day as they were at the beginning, although improved systems of exchange have diminished the proportionate volume necessary to do the work

So exact a measure is it of human effort *that when it is exclusively used as money it teaches the very habit of honesty* It neither deals in nor tolerates false pretenses It cannot lie It keeps its promises to rich and poor alike

While it has seen human institutions perish and human governments crumble and decay, it is itself imperishable The gold that was in Solomon's temple possessed the same qualities as the gold dug to-day from the sands of Africa The gold of California and the gold of Australia are precisely the same It defies the corroding hand of time and the friction of the ages It is the common denominator of values It makes possible the classification of labor and the equitable interchange of commodities *Gold has intervened in the bargains in the best regulated men since the dawn of civilized man and it has never failed to faithfully fulfill its part as the universal agent and servant of mankind* But it withdraws from the companionship of the ledgerened harlot called irredeemable paper money, and says to every people "Banish her before you look for my return It is the oxygen in the commercial atmosphere, and its absence produces financial asphyxia

The value of gold is not affected by the stamp of Government That is merely the final and reliable evidence of its weight and fineness

You must have something with the attribute of extension when you measure extension, to measure weight you must have something of specific gravity, and to measure value you must have something of value—something that requires labor to produce it Gold has this requisite The stamp on a gold dollar says in effect "This Government pledges its honor that this coin is nine tenths fine and contains 25.8 grains in weight The Government stamp on every piece of coin is a certificate to mankind that the bearer has rendered a service unto society which is measured by that piece of metal and that he is entitled to an equivalent service from society in return, payable on demand Such a draft has never yet been dishonored.

What does a piece of this Government paper say—this paper that the honor of the Government is pledged to redeem, and which the custodians of that honor refuse to redeem and refuse to take any steps toward redeeming? It says "The holder of this piece of paper has rendered a service unto society of an uncertain unascertained and unascertainable value, dependent entirely upon the precise day of the week or month when such service was rendered and is entitled to such service in return as the bulls and 'bears' of Wall street, or a vote of the Congress of the United States or both may determine" [Laughter]

We are told that money is the utensil of trade, that it is the tool of the workman Well, sir, it seems to me that our present currency, instead of being the spade or the handsaw, is the dice-box of the gambler [Applause]

It is said that it is the greasy that lubricates the wheels of commerce Well, sir this irredeemable paper money is a sort of grease that makes the hub expand, the spokes expand, and the axle expand At one moment the grease spurts out on everybody, and the next this wheel without grease is running dry on its axle [Laughter] Another difficulty is that the driver is too often diverted from the management of his wagon to speculation in the rise and fall of the grease

The money which consists of paper promises cannot be a standard of value It measures nothing but the average hopes fears confidence and doubts of this people as to the ability and intention of their Government to *ultimately redeem it in coin and is useless secured by gold* It finds its way into the pockets of speculators and gamblers who grind rather than the pockets of the laborers who earn it.

In his preface Mr Weston claims that the financial difficulties of the world are caused very largely by the locking up of gold in the United States The following paragraph will show that Senator Jones thinks when according to Mr Weston has more completely grasped the financial situation very strongly advocated in 1874 the "locking up of gold" referred to

Gentlemen ask, How will you get the gold with which to resume specie payments As a general proposition, *I would say that the Government should hoard gold* that it should take no part in the gold fluctuations of this country I admit it would be a great injustice to the debtor to say that specie payments shall be resumed immediately because he contracted his debt when currency was worth about what it is to-day and it would not be just to make him pay in an appreciated currency But he has to pay some time I would put it off three years, and say that on the 1st day of January or the 1st day of July 1877, the greenbacks the national legal tenders, should be redeemed, either in bonds or in gold, at the option of the Government, and destroyed and at the same time I would repeal the legal tender clause as to all debts contracted after that time

Mr Weston devotes a portion of one article to argument against increasing the weight of the silver dollar to make it equal with gold and declares that "to remonetize it with an added weight sufficient to carry it up to the present rating of gold, would be simply to confirm and perpetuate the injustice of the demonetizing policy" Senator Jones had a different idea of the circulation of inferior coin, when he spoke in 1874 and he might well have been speaking of the Bland dollar when he said

It does seem to me that this proposed increase of the currency is the most high handed measure ever attempted by any legislative body on earth It is precisely like the proceeding of the Prussian king *when he debased the coin of the realm*, it is like what occurred in 1695 in England, when disreputable people *clipped the coin*, with this difference, that we see no manifestation here of the courage and virtue of Frederick the Great, who, after distress had passed, honestly restored the standard, or of the wisdom and firmness of William the Third, who, under the inspiration of Newton and Locke, Somers and Montague, in the midst of a great war, *called in the mutilated coin and replaced it with other of full value*

We close our citations from this excellent speech, recalled to our memory by the dedication of Mr. Weston's book, with the following words of Senator Jones, which are as timely and wise to-day as when they were uttered in 187-

I protest with all the energy of my nature against any further increase of paper money. Honor and policy, principle and interest, are alike arrayed against it. There are neither arguments nor precedents in its favor Everything is against it—experience, philosophy, and fact A doubtful and lame expedient in time of war, defensible only on the dangerous plea of necessity, it can have no excuse whatever in time of peace and must be regarded as an alarming usurpation A state of profound peace has reigned for nearly ten years throughout the land, with no immediate menace of war With a climate and soil unsurpassed, with a population as enterprising, industrious, and ingenious as any upon the face of the earth, we see to-day, instead of the prosperity which these conditions common y insure, the industries of the country paralyzed, trade stagnant, and distrust prevailing everywhere The cause for this can be found nowhere *except in the inferior and vicious agent* used for stimulating the industries, effecting the exchanges, and distributing the wealth of the country

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"THE SILVER QUESTION," by Geo. M. Weston, published by I. S. Homans, N. Y. For sale by Charles Hight.

Says the Burlington *Hawkeye*: "The land of the free we proudly sing. It is gloriously 'free' indeed. Free and easy. Here a man can rise up in a rebellion against the Government and after he is forced to lay down his arms we condone his crime, pardon him from the gallows and prison, restore his property, give him the ballot and invite him to come in and help run the Government. In other countries he pays the penalties of high crime In this country he takes a front seat and insists that his vote shall count double that of the man who did not rebel against the Government. And yet the Democratic party howls about 'the oppressed South!'"

A BRACE OF FALSIFIERS

[From the Bangor commercial]

Mr Blaine made a curious slip in the debate Tuesday, when Mr Whyte of Maryland asked incidentally where the Senator from Maine was when the Know-Nothings were driving citizens of foreign birth from the polls by violence. Mr Blaine said that in those days he was a rather small boy in a small academy The Know-Nothing party flourished in the years 1854 and 1855, and as Mr Blaine was born in 1830, the Portland *Advertiser* thinks he must have been uncommonly 'backward' if he was at school 24 or 25 years afterward He took his degree at a Pennsylvania college in 1847, at the early age of 17, and in 1850 was a graduate of eight years standing

The eager falsification of the *Commercial* and its congenial ally, is shown to be with out shadow of excuse by the following text of the official *Congressional Record* of Dec 18th

Mr WHYTE Mr President, I have heard of violence and intimidations, and the driving of men away from the polls before this charge coming from the Senator from Maine Where was he in the old days when the know nothings drove from the polls by thousands the citizens of foreign birth? Where was he?

MR BLAINE Always against them

Mr WHYTE Where was his voice against them? Point to his record against them Let the Senator show me a speech delivered by him in the North against the know nothings in 1845 in Pennsylvania, or in 1855 in my own State, when his own Representative from the State of Maine voted against turning a man out of Congress who was elected by the baldest and the basest frauds and intimidation that ever disgraced a free country Where was he then? Why did he not stand up for the rights of the white man at that day? Oh, it was convenient to be silent in those days No, Mr President, I am opposed to this measure, because it will accomplish no good, and because it is unfair and unjust to those persons who will have contests in the next House of Representatives

MR BLAINE I want to answer the Senator from Maryland when he asks me where I was and why I did not lift my voice up when the know-nothings were ravaging Philadelphia in 1844 and in Baltimore afterwards I do not know the venerable years of my distinguished friend from Maryland, but at the time of the know nothing excitement in Philadelphia, *in 1844 and 1845*, I was in a Pennsylvania college and rather a small boy I do not remember that I did raise my voice very loudly at that time upon the subject at all, and I am afraid if I had it would not have reached the ears of the Senator from Maryland

Mr WHYTE I will ask the Senator from Maine if he raised it afterward or was he in an academy ten years later, when he was twenty-five years old?

MR BLAINE I desire to say to the honorable Senator that I never was a member of the know nothing party, I never had anything to do with it, I never voted its ticket, I never had the remotest connection with it, and that is a great deal more than many leading Democrats who are now pandering for the Irish Catholic vote in this country can say

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THE SOUTHERN IDEA

In a review of Henry Watterson's political screed in the *North American Review*, the Boston *Journal* says The most amusing part of Mr Watterson's article, which taken as a whole is a good deal more a musing than instructive, is that in which he practically admits the election frauds in the South, but deprecates investigation of them on the ground of sectionalism He says with calm assumption that "an election never occurs North or South but that on the side of the defeated there is plenty of outcry perhaps too often there is plenty of reason for outcry If the foundations of this, *true or false*, are to be carefully collected by hostile agents appointed at Washington for the purpose, how shall we hope ever to be rid of the sources of sectional strife? That is, the sectional strife does not consist in suppressing the vote of a race or arraying a 'solid South' against the principles of republican government but in trying to investigate and punish cases of fraud and violence This is the notion which underlies Mr Watterson's article, and it is current in most of the Democratic apologies North and South It amounts in effect to this "We will do what we like with the negro, we will vote him or suppress him, but beware of making impertinent inquiries, or you will stir up sectional strife"

INSULTING PUBLIC DECENCY We had supposed that the Bangor *Commercial* had already reached as low a strata of vulgarity as its conductors would dare attempt in a respectable community, but its issue of last evening touched a lower depth of shameless indecency than has ever before, within our knowledge, been ventured in a public print in Bangor That paper has repeatedly boasted of its patronage and approval among the best families in Bangor, and if such is the case, the filthy stuff which it paraded on its third page last evening, was a burning insult to every respectable family that has permitted the sheet to cross its threshold. The disgusting stuff has not even the excuse of a careless selection of second hand matter, as it appears in one of a series of low and senseless articles boastingly announced in advance as original and of special interest, and put forward as editorial contributions to the entertainment and instruction of the family circles of Bangor If there is a reputable father of a family in this city who would knowingly permit a sheet containing such foul stuff to enter his home, we cannot conceive of such a man The vilest sheets that have temporarily eluded the laws against obscenity, have rarely attempted any broader or more disgusting indecency, and the fact that such a paper boasts in one column of its approval by the families of Bangor, while in another it boldly parades the lowest vulgarity, would give other communities a strange idea of our people, if that paper commanded any belief The instance we cite, although one of the most flagrant, is still only one instance of an indecency that is habitual; and those who aim to furnish the public with the news and with reading matter fit for respectable families, have reason to complain when people who have an interest in public morals, give encouragement to the circulation of a sheet which revels in filth, and whose every influence is demoralizing

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WANTS PAYMENT FOR SLAVES The *National Republican* says that Smith Minor of Washington filed a petition in the House last week for compensation for seven slaves. He asks this under the act of 1862, which authorized payment for slaves emancipated in the District of Columbia. When Virginia seceded the petitioner lived in Alexandria County, Va. After secession he moved to Washington, bringing his slaves with him. The commissioners appointed under the act of 1862 awarded him payment for his slaves, but because he had voted for the ordinance of secession, the award was not paid. He says in the petition that he voted for secession "in a moment of excitement and as he has been loyal ever since, he thinks that 'weakness' should be overlooked, and that he should be paid from the Treasury the amount he would have got under the commissioners' award if he had not so voted

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Those "honest" South Carolinians who were going to restore "pure" government in their State are alarming even their own friends and backers. For example, the Charleston *News and Courier*, speaking of the Legislature of the State, says "Among Democrats there is a stronger anti-repudiation element in the House this session than last, but the increase is *not sufficient to counter balance the loss of the colored vote which was 'solid' against repudiation*"

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5 Father lead me by the hand *From Belshazzar* Mrs Crowell Mrs Butler, Mr Geo Shibly
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Per order of Water Board

GEO W SNOW, Clerk
(Lom copy)

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DRESSMAKING

The present is a proper time to take a LIFE POLICY, and THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE a proper Company in which to insure, and H. N. FAIRBANKS is a proper man with whom to insure

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NOROMBEGA HALL.

FOR TWO NIGHTS ONLY.

First appearance in Bangor of the Celebrated

BOSTON

MUSEUM COMPANY

from the Boston Museum Boston Mass.

MR. WM WARREN MISS ANNIE CLARKE
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MUSIC HALL.

MATINEE WEDNESDAY (Christmas) AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock
JUVENILE CLASS THURSDAY AFTERNOON at 4
SECOND ASSEMBLY THURSDAY EVENING
THIRD BUNKIN CLUB ASSEMBLY FRIDAY EVE dec 4

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TWO EVENINGS AND ONE MATINEE

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY Dec. 24 and 25

A Merry Christmas to All! The ever popular

DOLLIE BIDWELL

and the veteran Manager J C MYERS with the SPLENDID NEW YORK COMPANY

EAST LYNNE,

HIDDEN HAND,

and the New and Original Irish Drama of

SHIELA.

Low price of admission, 25 cts Reserved seats 35 cts Tickets for sale now at Davenport's Music store, Main St

Get programmes and bills of the day

dec 21 sn 4t

Safe and Office Desk, FOR SALE.

Also Factory Furniture, Stoves, &c. and some

Boot and Shoe Machinery.

Apply to GEO A UPTON

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PARTICULAR NOTICE

—TO—

WATER-TAKERS!

In accordance with a vote of the Bangor Water Board notice is hereby given to all persons served with Water from the Bangor Water Works, who are in arrears for water, that the same will be shut off from their premises, unless the amounts due therefor shall be paid on or before the first day of January next and that their accounts for same will be placed in the hands of the City Treasurer for collection, in accordance with the provisions of the City Ordinance

GEO W SNOW, Clerk

Bangor, Dec. 20, 1878 sn

BOX OF PAPER,

Bottle of Cologne and Christmas Card

FOR 25 CENTS, at

John T. Bowler & Co.'s,

dec17 8 Kenduskeag Bridge.

INSIDE LINE.

1878 Winter Arrangement. 1878

Portland, Bucksport and Machiasport, and Intermediate Landings.

Steamer CITY OF RICHMOND, Capt. C. KILEY, will leave Portland every FRIDAY EVENING, at 10 o'clock, for Bucksport and Machiasport, touching at usual landings on the Bay; also touching at Castine, Deer Isle, Sedwick, South West Harbor, Bar Harbor, Millbridge, and Jonesport, arriving at Machiasport Saturday evening.

Returning, leaves Machiasport TUESDAY MORNING at 5 o'clock, touching as above, (except Bar Harbor, Bucksport, Sandy Point and Belfast), arriving at Portland same evening.

Going East, the Richmond connects at Bucksport with the Train for Bangor. Passengers holding through tickets will be forwarded to Bangor without extra charge.

N. B. Passengers from Bangor, going to Castine, and other landings on the Machias Route will take the 6 o'clock A. M. Train SATURDAY, connecting with the Richmond at Bucksport at about 10 o'clock. Tickets for sale at the B. & M. R. R. Depot for all points on the Bucksport Route.

For further particulars inquire of

A. KENDRICK, Agent.

Bangor, Dec. 23, 1878. sntw tf

CALL AT DAVENPORT'S

MUSIC STORE

and see a variety of things suitable for Presents, from a Harmonica to a Pianoforte. All are new goods just received. Gilded and Ornamented Horseshoes. Something new and curious.

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Fashionable Dancing Boots

SUITABLE FOR THE

HOLIDAY TRADE.

We have just received a large stock of HOLIDAY GOODS, among which are included

Novelties in English and French China, Longwy, Faience, &c.

Plaques and Presentation Cups.

Vases and Cologne Sets.

Majolica Fruit Bowls, Trays, Pitchers, &c.

Silver-Plated Ice Pitchers, Cake Baskets, Castors, &c., in new designs.

Children's Mugs and Toy Teasets,

and useful and Ornamental articles in great variety all of which we offer at very low prices

31 Main Street.

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CHRISTMAS!

PIANOS ORGANS

NEW YEARS!!

Fine Pianos $900 to $500
Better ones $350 to $100
Elegant Pianos $175 to $300

Call and see our Henry F Miller and Wm Knabe Pianos. *They are Matchless*

ORGANS, and full kinds of Musical Merchandise at prices that will *distance* competition *Don't be deceived*

PATTEN & WHEELDEN,

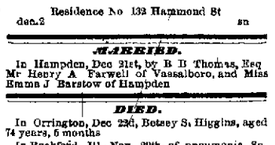
dec20 sn d&w

The Saco Steamship Co.

BETWEEN BANGOR & BOSTON.

Touching at Rockland, Camden, Belfast, Searsport, Bucksport and Winterport.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.



Steamer CAMBRIDGE, Capt Otis Ingraham

Commencing MONDAY, Dec 23d, 1878 will until further notice make

ONE TRIP PER WEEK

between Boston and Winterport

Leaving Foote & Wilard Boston every THURSDAY at 5 00 P M

Leaving Winterport every MONDAY at 10 A M

Leaving Bucksport every MONDAY, at 1 30 P M

Passengers from Bangor take the Bucksport and Bangor R R train leaving E & N A R R depot every Monday at 10 A M connecting with Steamer at Bucksport

A special train will take passengers to Bangor should the Steamer not arrive at Bucksport in season for the regular train

Tickets from Bangor or river landings and Boston to be sold at ticket-office in the Depot

Tickets may be obtained on board the Steamer for Jewell, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and baggage checked through Tickets may also be obtained for the West and Northwest via Pennsylvania R R

Passengers by this line have a good night's rest and avoid the expense and inconvenience of transfer, in Boston late at night

Returning freights are offered by this line to shippers of freight,

JAS LITTLEFIELD
Gen'l Pass'r and Freight Agt, Bangor

Bangor Dec 21, 1878 d&w

WANTED!

Two Girls who are acquainted with Cloak making

E C NICHOLS & CO

dec16 sn tf

The work of tolling bells is done
For wrecks of coughs and colds,
Long fought for victory has come
Against Consumption's dreaded hold

Be careful! wait not too long,
That cough may courage rend,
WILSON'S COUGH BALSAM will your lungs defend,
And make you its everlasting friend.

Sample bottles 10 cts, large Bottles 25 cts

WARREN & ROBINSON,
Proprietors

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Six Per Cent Bonds

FOR SALE BY

[illegible] & CO.,

Bond and Stock Brokers,

22 West Market Square.

dec17 BANGOR. sn

DR. WM. C. MASON,

Office No. 4 Hatch's Block, Main st.

Residence No 132 Hammond St

dec. 2 sn

MARRIED.

In Hampden, Dec 21st, by B B Thomas, Esq Mr Henry A Farwell of Vassalboro, and Miss Emma J Barstow of Hampden

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DIED.

In Orrington, Dec 22d, Betsey S. Higgins, aged 74 years, 6 months

In Rockford, Ill, Nov 20th, of pneumonia, Suzanne Willard Reynolds, infant daughter of Dr and Mrs H A. Reynolds, aged 15 months and 10 days

All that anxious and tender love, aided by faithful services of skillful physicians, could do, was done for little Suzanne, but in vain to arrest the fatal disease. Neither human love nor skill could save the little one from the embrace of the silent messenger that waited in the upper chamber, sent to gather the sweet flower of the paradise of God And while the hearts of the bereaved parents are anguished and aching with their loss, yet they are comforted by the voice of Him "who spake as never man spake," saying Suffer your little ones to come unto me, "for of such is the kingdom of heaven" The many friends of Dr and Mrs Reynolds expressed their sympathy by acts of love that must have been specially grateful to their sorrowing hearts Choice flowers in profusion were brought to place about the little sleeper, and as she lay in her white casket, in a bower of fragrant flowers and trailing vines, she looked like a sleeping cherub A ray of sunlight streaming through the closed blinds, kissed the pure face, lighting it up with angelic beauty, making it hard to realize that death was there. She was buried in our beautiful Rockford cemetery, the grave was lined with arbor vitæ, lovely flowers strewn on the surface, and there kindly hands gently lowered the precious form to its quiet resting place. Tears from many eyes mingled with those of the bereaved parents as they committed their treasure to the dust, mourning "as at those without hope," for they knew that He, who is the "resurrection and the life" will bring their loved one from the land of the enemy, and then will see her again, where death is even loved up in victory Funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. W. Snyder, Rector of Emmanuel Episcopal church. COM.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS

Holiday Goods!

AT AUCTION.

T D CAMBERLAIN will sell at Auction

TO-NIGHT, at 7½ o'clock,

the stock of FANCY GOODS, STATIONERY, &c

At No. 8 State St.

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HOLIDAY GOODS!

GIFTS:

LADIES' MISSES AND CHILDREN'S

FURS.

A Large Assortment of

GENTS' PATENT LEATHER PUMPS

GENTS TOILET SLIPPERS

BOOTS and SHOES

of every description

Give CURTIS a Call.

2 KENDUSKEAG BRIDGE,

dec24

HOLIDAY GOODS

We will sell OUTSIDE WINDOWS the rest of the Season—

7 by 9—12 lights at 90 cents. 8 by 10—12 lights at $1 00 7½ by 11—15 lights at $1 50 9 by 10—15 lights at $1 50 12 and 13 at $2 00

WM. P. DICKEY & CO.

dec24 BANGOR, MAINE

Shaker Hop Sauce

—AND—

NEW HORSE RADISH,

just received at

CHAS. DWINEL,

3 Kenduskeag Bridge

And 2 Harlow Street.

dec 4

WOODEN LAMPS.

A nice assortment of these at less than self Lighting Burner No one need be without a night Lamp Buy one of these and you are supplied Also a nice variety of Bracket Lamps Stand Lamps &c, &c A general assortment of Kitchen Furnishing Goods selling cheap Remember the Place 183 Exchange Street Bangor, Me

HILL'S STOVE STORE

dec24

Messenger's Notice.

STATE OF MAINE

PENOBSCOT ss December 21 A D 1878

This is to give notice that on the 1st day of December A D 1878 a Warrant in Insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot, against the estate of John H Wadleigh of Howland in said County of Penobscot adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor on petition of said Debtor which petition was filed on the twenty first day of December, A D 1878, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court Room in said Bangor on the second day of January, A D 1879 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon

Given under my hand the date first above written

G S BEAN

Deputy Sheriff as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot

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BEST STOCK YET

PRESENTS.

Enameled Chamber Suits,

Tinted Shades, Blue Panels something than ever at a low price that out of our fancy it cannot be matched for price and quality in the market

FOOT RESTS,

Black Walnut Fancy Flannel Lined and some cost very few patterns

Work Stands,
Slipper Cases,
Paper Racks,
Wall Pockets,
Towel Racks.

RATTAN GOODS

in great variety and the Latest Patterns

DOLE BROTHERS,

Hammond St.

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NEW GOODS

EVERY MORNING,

ON OUR

5 CENT COUNTER

Boston Button Store.

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GENTLEMEN

BUY THE

SPEEDMORE

FOR A

FINE HEAVY SHOE.

They are the best Call and see them, at

E. A. BUCK & CO'S,

Cor. State and Exchange Sts.

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BOOTS and SHOES

—OF—

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—AT—

LOW'S BEST STORE

I am selling my stock of FANCY GOODS, suitable for HOLIDAY GIFTS, at about auction prices, to close the line. The stock comprises a little of everything—

Fancy Baskets, Thermometers, Cigar and Match Cases Bronzes, Paper Weights, Pocket Flasks, Vinaigrettes, and Perfume Bottles, Odor Cases, Cologne Stands, Thimble Cases, Ring Boxes, Puff Boxes, Puffs, Patent Trellises, &c &c.

I also offer at very low prices, a full assortment of

Toilet Requisites, Perfumes, Soaps, Brushes of all kinds, Bath Towels and Gloves, Combs in great variety, Mirrors, Court Plaster in fine cases, Shaving Implements, &c,

I have about all the desirable varieties of such goods and wish to reduce my stock.

4 SMITH BLOCK.

N. S. HARLOW.

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SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS

Until you have given us a trial we will sell anything in our line as LOW AS THE LOWEST PRICE made in Bangor.

Don't buy your goods elsewhere but come in and consult with us and we will DELIVER your goods for your money as any store in Bangor

T. R. SAVAGE & CO.

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HOLIDAY GOODS!

GIFTS:

OUTSIDE WINDOWS

—AT—

Greatly Reduced Prices.

RICE & SKINNER,

47 West Market Square

Price for Dec

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We will receive from this Thursday and Friday morning of

Cut Flowers & Bouquets,

which will be the first of the season We have also a line of Straw Work which we will sell For the convenience of Straw Work ers we will also sell the same at

CALDWELL SWEET & BRO.,

No. 2 Main St.

BREWER BRICK COMPANY

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Brewer Brick Company for the choice of officers and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the meeting will be held at the office of the Company in Brewer on MONDAY the 30th day of December inst at two o'clock P M

Bangor Dec 14 1878 dtd

HOLIDAY GOODS,

LOOK & SEE

CHAS. HIGHT,

(ex)

NO 3 SMITH BLOCK

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OF

FURNITURE.

Why don't You Sell Goods Cheap.

WE ALWAYS BEAT THEM ALL.

If you don't believe it Read the Following Prices

Very Best Standard Granulated Sugar, 9 cts. per lb
5 lbs. very Poor Tea for $1 00
9 lbs. Raw Coffee for 1 00
7 lbs. Fresh Roast Coffee for 1 00
American Mixed or Broken Candy, 10 cts. per lb
Best New Mixed Nuts, 10 cts
15 lbs. English Currants for 1 00
13 lbs. Muscatel Raisins for 1 00
2 1-2 lbs. Smoking Tobacco 1 00

Beat this if you can Call at once if you want to buy at the above prices, as we SHALL NOT CONTINUE them after this year

TEA WHITE'S

COFFEE STORE,

KENDUSKEAG BRIDGE, BANGOR,

Next [illegible]

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Holiday Goods

CHARLES HALE & CO.

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[illegible] are now in stock of Brewer Brick Company and will be sold at the lowest prices for cash Delivered on or before the 1st of January next Orders left at the office of the Company in Brewer or at the office of the undersigned in Bangor will receive prompt attention

Bangor Dec 14

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TUESDAY, DEC. 24, 1878.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

MARINE DISASTERS.

...LAND, Dec. 22. The fishing schooner ...owned by C. & H. Trefethen ...of Portland, went ashore at ...in the gale Saturday night. ...easily and will probably come off ...loss of shoe and part of the fore-

DAMARISCOTTA, Dec. 23. The schooner ...Bell, Capt. Wm. Knox of St. John, ...New York to St. John, assorted car- ...was wrecked on Thumb Cap Island, ...mouth of Damariscotta river, Sat- ...night. James Wheaton, David ...and one unknown are drowned. ...Kimball was saved.

...VIDENCE, Dec. 23. The schooner ...Langdon, of Boston, from Booth- ...Savannah, with guano, went on ...rocks south of Dutch Island Light Sat- ...afternoon and got off after throwing ...and fifty bags of guano, put into ...leaking 500 strokes per hour, and ...on the railway for repairs.

...KPORT, Mass., Dec. 23. Schooner ...of Machias, Me., from Port John- ...was driven ashore on Hali- ...Point Saturday night and slipped off ...deep water and sank. The crew was ...saved. The cargo was owned by the cap- ...The schooner and cargo will be a total loss.

FROM DAMARISCOTTA.

Death of Hon. Arnold Blaney.

DAMARISCOTTA, Dec. 23. Hon. Arnold ...of Bristol, died somewhat sud- ...yesterday of neuralgia of the heart, ...He was a leading Democratic ...man of Lincoln Co., Judge of Probate ...of terms, State Senator and had ...nearly all the town offices.

FROM ROCKLAND.

Monument Gone.

ROCKLAND, Dec. 23. The granite mon- ...on the Fiddler Ledge entrance to ...Island Thoroughfare was entirely de- ...in the gale of Saturday night.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

WASHINGTON.

The Lost Package of Money.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23. The package of ...drawn from the Treasury Saturday ...payment of clerks in the city post ...and lost by Wm. J. Brown was this ...recovered. The package was ...to Judge Edmunds' residence and he ...upon promising to ask no ques- ...Judge Edmunds is of the opinion ...Brown had his pocket picked and is ...the money was beyond Brown's ...that he was not a party to the ...

MASSACHUSETTS.

The Sumner Statue.

...Dec. 23. The Statue of Charles ...was unveiled by Gov. Rice at noon ...its site in the Public Garden near ...street mall.

NEW YORK CITY.

Mr. Blaine at the New England Society's Annual Dinner.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. The seventy- ...annual dinner of the New England ...took place to-night at the Fifth ...Hotel, and was very largely at- ...Two hundred and twenty-eight ...sat down to the table and the room ...gracefully fitted up for the occa- ...Among the guests were Hon. Wm. ...Hon. John Sherman and Hon. J. ...

...ong the toasts given was "The Pil- ...Fathers," which was responded to by ...G. Blaine, who said that, in the ...of this country the chief credit ...to New England. The Pil- ...fathers were able to endure hard- ...they were men of culture and ...The men who founded the ...brought with them over $15,000,- ...what other 21,000 emigrants ...such a sum with them? In poetry, ...culture, they had men who ...and they brought with them all ...of success and a belief that if ...principle that is founded on truth, ...through what an army of men ... (Applause.)

...Referring to Secretary Evart's speech he ...reminded him that his ancestors, ...couldn't make a nail and had no ...to drive it, resolved in order to lay ...foundation of a great maritime power, ...along all our coasts nothing but an ...built ship could trade and no ...float our flag but one built on our ...shores. (Great applause.) I should ...to impress on every New England au- ...that, taking up as a reprint the ...of the Secretary of State, as we be- ...an honest dollar, we believe in an ...ballot, (applause) and I would like ...to respect the habits and practical ...of New England States might spread ...one New England commonwealth, ...the passions of men were excited ...contest so close that the party in ...counted in their opponent by one ...Our majority for the Anglo ...race is as good as 30 and no fraudu- ...counties will ever give peace to our ...I thank you for your cordial wel-

...all who perished in their prime from ...Rock to Gettysburg we offer ...respectful veneration. I cannot pass ...this scene without a memory and a ...of those who sacrificed all that ...might have everything. (Applause.)

LOUISIANA.

The Quiet Orderly Citizens.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23. The Picayune ...in West Feliciana parish a few ...a negro named Cole disappeared ...subsequently the headless body of the ...was found in a cistern. No develop- ...were made at the inquest respecting ...who committed the deed nor ...proved that the body was that of ... The Times says that witnesses are ...every day from the parishes to lay ...the grand jury the stories of their ...United States Deputy Mar- ...A. Barrow, y Earnest Breda and ...a physician, A. P. Breda who ...dents of Natchitoches have arrived ...They says that they were or- ...to leave Natchitoches on the 22d of ...that the Mayor of Natchitoches ...of J. Ernest Breda came to them ...asked them to surrender. They refus- ...were then given two hours to leave ...being told that unless they went ...dwellings would be attacked by 400 ...men and they would not be spared. ...concluded to leave and have not been ...to Natchitoches since. Mr. Breda ...that he is a native of the parish of ...Natchitoches. The above is about the sub- ...of the story they will tell to the ...jury.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

A Berlin despatch says that it is under- ...that the late Bayard Taylor's gener- ...has rather interfered with the pros- ...of his family.

The Davenport investigation in New York will not begin until after the holi- days.

The directors of the Mt. Sinai Hospital have rejected Mrs. Seward's proffered do- nation of $500.

S. D. Richards was arrested near Wheel- ing, West Va., Saturday night, charged with the murder of Mrs. Hobson and her three children on the 8th inst.

The Moonshiners lately engaged in an attack on the revenue officers at Hardeats, S. C., have fled to Georgia, and the offi- cers have captured nine illicit distilleries since the 1st.

A Washington special says claims are made by New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Newfoundland and the Dominion Govern- ment each for large proportions of the five and one half million fishery award.

The Santo Domingo Congress assem- bled on the 1 th inst. The election for President will take place on the last three days of the present month. Guillermo, acting Executive, will probably be elected.

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEPT, OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, Washington, D. C., Dec 24—(1 A. M.)

Indications.

For New England and Middle Atlantic States, Tennessee and the Ohio Valley and South Atlantic States: Cooler, Northwest following warmer Southwest and South- east winds; increasing cloudiness, possibly light rain or snow; falling followed by ris- ing barometer.

FOREIGN NEWS.

"BEAUTIFUL SNOW."

THE FALL ACROSS THE WATERS.

THREE FEET IN NEW YORK.

Thermometrical Variations.

The Heaviest Storm in England for Thirty Years.

LONDON, Dec. 23. The weather is severe throughout Great Britain. There has also been a heavy snow fall here and in many parts of the continent. In Scotland it is especially severe, and all railways in the north are blockaded. Two London mail trains were at last accounts snowed up ten or twelve miles from Aberdeen. Seven trains are snowed up and traffic is sus- pended. Snow was still falling last night. In some places it is over twelve feet high. It is the heaviest snow fall in thirty years.

A telegram from Geneva, Switzerland, says that no post has arrived from Germa- ny or from German Switzerland. Railway communication between Berne and Lu- zerne was interrupted until late last even- ing. In Geneva four hundred men and one hundred and twenty horses and carts are constantly occupied in clearing the streets.

A Paris despatch says that wolves have penetrated as far as the gates of Metz. There is more snow on the Vosges than the eldest inhabitant remembers.

Effects at Buffalo, N. Y.

BUFFALO, Dec. 23. At East Buffalo the storm had a very bad effect on trade. Hack trains were all blocked and no ship- ments were made by either the Central or Erie to-day. There is no sign of the storm abating at present.

At Watertown, N. Y.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 23. Between two and three feet of snow have fallen since Saturday morning and is still falling. All trains are badly delayed, and none have arrived yet.

Reports from Numerous Points.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. The Fall River steamer arrived this noon. The gale con- tinues and the thermometer has fallen to 20°.

At Milwaukee the mercury is 3° with 3 feet of snow; Chicago 3° below with three feet of snow; Buffalo 12° below with 3 feet of snow and a gale 40 miles an hour; St. Louis 10° above and snowing; Cincin- nati 12° above and clear; Indianapolis 7° above and snowing; Pittsburg 8° above and clear; Albany 18° above and clear.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Great Suffering and Poverty.

LONDON, Dec. 23. Returns of the Union Workhouse in the East of London are be- ginning to show wide spread poverty and distress in that part of the city. Applicants for relief are so numerous that house ac- commodation is inadequate. In Shoreditch the workhouse and its infirmary are full. Bethnal Green Workhouse has 1050 in the infirmary. In Hackney there are 1,416 in- door poor. A visitation of two districts shows a vast amount of distress, and the charitable funds at their disposal are ut- terly insufficient. This is especially the case at Polar and Milwall where thous- ands of dock and other laborers are idle.

Spitalfield, Limehouse, South Hackey, Shadwell and Haggerston are severely feeling the acuteness of winter. The tradesmen of the entire Eastern districts of the metropolis are crying about the bad- ness of trade, and even Christmas wares are a heavy drug in the market. So se- vere is the distress in Hagerstown that a committee will be formed for the relief of extreme necessity, but it will be greatly crippled through want of funds.

RUSSIA.

The Nihilist Spectre Again.

LONDON, Dec. 23. Reports are full of the reappearance of the Nihilist spectre. Whether it is a real or imaginary spectre, it is believed in, and attempts are made to hunt it down by measures of repression. All sorts of Nihilist demonstrations are apprehended. One is said to be planned for Dec. 26th, the anniversary of the out- break or accession of the Emperor Nicho- las in 1826. The police are busy every- where tracking conspirators, and, within the last week, a number of arrests are said to have been made. Quite a raid was made against the students, who wanted to pre- sent a petition to the heir apparent. There is even a rumor that the Government is se- riously thinking of closing the universities for this year.

AFGHANISTAN.

Russia and the Ameer.

LONDON, Dec. 33. A Vienna corres- pondent of the Times says that according to accounts from St. Petersburg, the Rus- sian Government has recalled its mission from Afghanistan, because of the friend- ly feeling toward England, and because the peaceful policy has now obtained as- cendency; but other information that comes suggests that certain other circumstances contributed to the result; Firstly, the rap- id advance of the British into Afghan and the precarious situation of the Ameer promised to render the mission valueless, and it might become a source of unpleas- ant complications; but by consenting to the withdrawal of the mission, Russia would appear to be making a gracious con- cession, while really taking a precaution. Again the news reaching us of the inter- nal state of Russia is of such a nature as to make intelligible the pacific tendency of the Government.

EGYPT.

The Cotton Crop.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23. The Consul at Cairo has informed the department of State that the cotton crop of Egypt for 1878 is be- ing gathered. At the date of the despatch, Nov. 20th it would fall far short of the average annual yield and the quality will be very inferior.

CUBA.

Political Matters.

HAVANA, Dec. 23. The political aspect of the Island continues favorable and or- der is reigning everywhere. Advices from St. Croix say the two sailing vessels from Denmark are expected with troops to gar- rison the Island.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. Money at easy 5@5 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE closed at 4.82½ for long and 4.87½ for short sight.

GOLD weak, opening and closing at par.

Government Securities closed at the following quotations:—

U S. 6's, due '81, (coup Jan 1 & July 1) ex int	109½
" " " '67, (coup Jan 1 & July 1)	105½
" " " '68, (coup Jan 1 & July 1)	108
" 10-40's, 5 per b'nds (coup Mar 1 & Sept 1)	107
U S. 5s,	106½
" currency 6's,	119¼
" 4½s,	104
" 4s,	100

Above quotations include the accrued interest]

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. FLOUR unchd—sales 10,500 — Superfine western and State, 3.25 @ 3.60 Extra Ohio, 3.70@5.00; white wheat western, 4.35@ 5.75; Southern, 3.90 @6.00.

WHEAT — sales 274,000 bush—Ungraded spring 84; No. 3 Spring, 80.

CORN is easier—sales 251,000 bushels—ungraded 46½@48; No. 2 steamer, 45½.

OATS are unchd—sales 44,000 bushels—Mixed Western, 29@30½; State, 30½@31.

Coffee quiet—Rio 10@19½.

SUGAR is quiet—Fair to good Refining, 6½@6½; prime 6¾.

PETROLEUM—Crude, 8; refined, 8¼.

ROSIN at 1.35@1.40.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE at 28.

Potatoes dull—Early Rose at 2.00@2.50.

Beef—Mess, 7.30@7.50.

Pork steady—New plain mess, 8.65.

Lard steady at 5.80.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23. Flour is dull.

Wheat is steady—No. 2, 82½.

OATS—No. 2, 19½.

RYE—No. 2, 44.

BARLEY—No. 2, 92.

Corn—No. 2, 80½.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The days are beginning to lengthen.

Ellsworth now has four first class hotels.

Our merchants had a busy day yester- day.

Just a little more snow is wanted for to- morrow.

Chas. Dwinel has some of the quaker ap- ple sauce.

Foot passengers now cross the river on the ice bridge.

Christmas trees were numerous on the streets yesterday.

H. N. Fairbanks claims that now is the proper time to insure.

Water takers will be interested in the notice in another column.

The Handel Association held their week- ly rehearsal last evening.

Dr. Yellowstone will remain in the city until the fourth of next month.

Some of the boys were trying their skates on the ice in the stream yesterday.

There will be a matinee at Music Hall Christmas afternoon at four o'clock.

This is the time of year when the post- office clerks are busy from morning till night.

Everybody now has a mysterious bundle, carries it home and hides it where nobody knows.

Mr. Frank Leavitt's little girl fell on Broadway yesterday and injured one of her arms severely.

Sunday there was the highest tide of the season and the water found its way into several store cellars.

The Eastern Express Company have a car load of small Christmas packages to go up river this morning.

There will be a select German at Music Hall this evening, for which Andrews' full orchestra will furnish music.

Timothy Nye was fined three dollars and cost for fast driving in the Bangor and and Brewer toll bridge yesterday.

The Essex street Free Baptist Sabbath School will have their Christmas tree Wed- nesday evening at the church vestry.

The suburban schools are now all in suc- cessful operation and very favorable re- ports are coming in from many of them.

The Bucksport Railroad is now doing a flourishing business, as a large amount of freight is being transported over the road.

Articles of moderate price are in active demand, and sell rapidly, but the more costly kinds of gifts are but little called for and slow of sale.

A train was run over the Bangor & Pis- cataquis Road to Blanchard Sunday, in or- der to clear the snow off of the track be- fore it had time to freeze.

We were glad to see that Mr. Benjamin Hawes had so far recovered from the ef- fects of his recent accident as to be able to come down town yesterday.

Mr. G. L. Moor, of this city left at this office yesterday a bundle of bed clothing to be forwarded to the Simpson family, better known as "Aroostook or Bust."

The post office officials informed us that they performed the largest day's work yes- terday in the money order and registered letter departments that they have ever done.

There are four automatic buoys with at- tached whistles on the Maine coast, one off Point Anthony, Cape Elizabeth, one at Deer Island Beach, Penobscot Bay, one off Matinicus and one off Monhegan.

The clock on the Unitarian church is ev- idently in need of repairs. It strikes any- where from one to twenty-four strokes at most any hour during the day and night, and at four o'clock yesterday morning it struck twelve times.

During the past season eight hundred and forty-three vessels have passed up through the E. & N. A. draw bridge into Kenduskeag stream. Among this number there were three brigs, two three masted schooners and five steamers.

Yesterday morning as the Monroe stage was on its way to this city both horses fell down and broke the pole. One of the horses was quite badly injured, but as the accident occurred near the place where the horses are exchanged the driver was soon able to proceed on his way.

A correspondent at Carmel writes: Mr. Phillip Harrington, a young and enterpris- ing farmer, met with a serious accident while on his way to the mill with a load of wheat. The bit broke in the horse's mouth, which caused him to run away, throwing Mr. H. out on to the frozen ground and breaking his nose.

The *Kennebec Journal* says: "Those who travel over the Maine Central Railroad can- not but notice the remarkably smooth con- dition of the road, and the excellent atten- tion that is paid to the rolling stock. The cars are nice and comfortable, are kept well ventilated, and the conductor and oth- er officers and employes are attentive and courteous."

Chas. E. McLaughlin met with quite a serious accident at his harness store Sun- day evening. It seems that there is a trap door near the desk, leading into the cellar and that it had been left open. When Mr. McLaughlin entered the store it was quite dark and after going to the desk, he step- ped back through the trap and fell into a large oil pan in the cellar. He was some- what bruised but escaped all serious in- jury.

CONCERT AND LECTURE. Notice is given in another column of the concert and lecture at the Pine Street Methodist church this evening. It will be seen that some of our best local talent will take part in the concert and that an excellent pro- gramme has been arranged. The lecture by Rev. C. B. Pitblado is highly spoken of by those who have listened to it and we expect he will have a large audience this evening. His subject is "Wanted."

THE GRAND ARMY CAMP FIRE. We learn that the arrangements are progress- ing rapidly and the old soldiers are deter- mined to make the gathering a grand one. Probably four prizes will be offered: a medal, a bond, a big bouquet and live pig of small size but tuneful nature. The bum- mers will organize a convention after the regular toasts are over and some lively skirmishing may be expected from the wags who are invited from all parts of the State. Boston will send a delegation, and ex-Mayor Buffum is expected from Lynn. If all the desired elements are gotten to- gether Norombega will ring with laughter and song louder than ever before.

OBITUARY. Mr. Sidney Davis died at his residence on Court street last Sunday, at the advanced age of sixty-five years and ten months. Mr. Davis was among the oldest and most respected citizens of Ban- gor, having moved here in the year 1845, since which date he has been engaged, for the greater part of the time, in the cloth- ing business. He was a member of the last Grand Jury and was taken ill at the Court House last August, since which time he has continued to fail until his death as stated above. The funeral services will take place this afternoon at two o'clock at his late residence.

DOLLIE BIDWELL. This evening the favorite artiste Dollie Bidwell will make her first appearance in this city for several years, accompanied by the veteran mana- ger J. C. Myers and his New York Com- pany. The emotional play "East Lynne," will be presented in Norombega this even- ing and we expect, as the tickets have been placed within the reach of all, that she will be greeted with a large audience. Tickets can be obtained at Davenport's music store.

NEW ERA COFFEE. As some of the people who are trying the New Era Coffee, while relishing its fine flavor, experience some difficulty in making it by the usual method, we give the following directions by a connoisseur. "Pour boiling water upon the coffee and put a little stick across the top to keep the cover from shutting down; because the wheat is giv- en to "rising" and the coffee will boil over. Put the milk on the stove and let it heat but do not let it boil. Pour the milk into the cup first and then pour in the coffee. Do not put in as much sugar as you would in Java or Rio. Finally drink all you want, it will not hurt you."

GOLD RESUMPTION IN BANGOR. The enterprising banking house of Bowler & Merrill commenced specie payment in gold over their counter yesterday, having pro- cured coin for that purpose. We believe they are the first in the State to begin gold payments, and their action emphasizes the fact that national resumption is practically accomplished and will be legally so in eight days more. They paid out considerable coin during the day, but many to whom it was offered, were satisfied with the ability to obtain it and preferred to take the more convenient bank notes. The people only want to be assured that the coin is ready behind the notes and that the latter repre- sent actual, redeemable value.

ICE. The Kennebec *Journal* says: "The anchor ice in the river proves to be very disastrous to the ice fields in the Kenne- bec. In some places opposite Gardiner and Pittston the ice has canted up edge- wise and frozen in every conceivable form, being in some places from five to six feet deep. On Saturday the ice was black with men chiselling off the rough surface and making the ice smooth. This will have to be done, or the ice will be unfit to house. Rich, Page, the Kennebec Land and Lum- ber Company, the Knickerbocker, and in fact most of the companies, had men so engaged. It will be absolutely necessary to smooth the ice before the deep snows.— The condition of the ice is not so bad be- tween Nehumkeag island and Richmond, the island stopping the anchor ice some- what. It would have been a good idea for the companies to break up the ice before it had formed solidly: now it is too late."

THE BOSTON MUSEUM COMPANY. This celebrated Company will appear in this city Dec. 31st and Jan. 1st, under the auspices of the Buskin Club. The entertainment the first evening will consist of the charm- ing Boston Museum popular programme, "Caste" and "The Inquisitive Darkey," introducing New England's favorite com- edian, Mr. William Warren, in his great part of "Old Eccles," as performed by him at the Boston Museum over one hundred times. The other favorites of the Compa- ny represented in the bill are as follows: Miss Annie Clarke, Mr. Henry Crisp, Mrs. J. R. Vincent, Mr. J. A. Smith, Mrs. Fred Williams, Mr. J. Burrows, Miss Clara Irv- ing, Mr. J. H. Ring, Mr. J. R. Pitman and Mr. Oscar Dunn in favorite characters. On the second evening they will give the com- medietta "A Happy Pair," and the Warren comedy "A Victim of Circumstances." This is undoubtedly one of the finest at- tractions ever offered our citizens and crowded houses will be sure to welcome this brilliant array of talent. The sale of tickets will open at Bugbee & Co.'s next Friday morning. No person will be en- titled to more than ten tickets.

PITTSFIELD ITEMS. *Mr. Editor*: Last Thursday evening the Masons of Meridian Lodge held a very enjoyable meeting at their hall. There was a full attendance of the members, while several visitors from Belfast and other places were present. Having conferred the third degree, the craft was called from "labor to refresh- ment." Speeches were then made by visitors and others. At the close all went away feeling that it is good to "meet on the level and part on the square."— Friday evening, an "Old Folks' Concert" was held at the Universalist church. It was a grand success and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. All the parts were good; especially so, was a song en- titled "Grandmother's Advice," by Miss Nina Bean, a song by Mr. Faunce, and a duet by Mrs. Dobson and Mr. Faunce, all of which were loudly encored. The society cleared about fifty dollars from admissions and supper.——Concerning "societies," Pittsfield can not be accused of being be- hind-hand, as it contains a Masonic Lodge, Oddfellows Lodge, Good Tem- plars Lodge, Grange, Rebecca Society, Ladies Aid Society, Ironclads, D. V. V. Society, E. B. B. Literary Society, Anicin- ian Society, and three churches, Methodist, Free Baptist and Universalist. No anti society man need come to this place as he will meet no encouragement. Christmas will be observed in all three of the churches by trees, etc.

YOUTHFUL DEPRAVITY. The Thomas- ton *Herald* relates a case of attempted poisoning which took place recently at Tennant's Harbor Miss Caddie Wall, the would-be poisoner, is about fifteen years of age. It seems that she conceived a girlish affection for a young man who did not re- ciprocate, but preferred Caddie's cousin. This aroused Caddie's jealousy and she de- termined to put her cousin out of the way. She at first intended to accomplish her purpose with arsenic and made many in- quiries concerning its properties. Finding, however, that she could not obtain it with- out a physician's prescription, she had to abandon the idea of using this poison. She next turned her attention to sugar of lead, and finding it was frequently used for sore eyes went to a drug store and obtained a quantity on the pretense that she wanted it for this purpose. On the evening of Dec. 6th, she attended some sort of a sociable and there found her victim. Calling her to one side she gave her the sugar of lead, saying "A fellow gave me this candy and told me to take half of it and give you the other half." The young girl, with the in- tention of eating it, put it to her mouth, when its peculiar odor arrested her atten- tion, and she told Caddie that she could not eat such stuff as that. Caddie told her to put some cloves with it, and then eat it, but the girl wrapped it up and put it in her pocket. When she got home, she showed it to her mother, who told her not to eat it and the next day took it to the druggist to see what it was. The latter pronounced it sugar of lead and said that he had sold it to Caddie Wall. Caddie was then called upon to explain, when she said that she bought it for a neighbor with sore eyes, but investigation discovered no neighbor with any trouble with the eyes. An attempt was made to hush up the affair and Caddie was not arrested.

Police Court.

In the police court yesterday, Charles Tozier was arraigned for breaking and en- tering a stable about three miles from the city and bound over in the sum of $15.00 to the February term. As he was unable to furnish securities he was committed to jail.

Chas. Allen, for the larceny of an over- coat, boots and gloves, was sentenced to jail for sixty days and to pay the costs for prosecution.

"Taunce" McNealley, the fellow who made the assault upon the young lady, near the Bangor House Saturday night, was arraigned in the police court yester- day and fined $25 and costs, from which he appealed.

Prof. Churchill.

The reading of Prof. Churchill, of An- dover, last evening proved a great attrac- tion to the literary and cultured people of Bangor. The Prof. is a man of magnifi- cent physique and with a rich, mellow voice unites a most mobile face which changes its whole expression in the twink- ling of an eye and adds not a little to his power as an elocutionist.

An audience which was limited only by the capacity of Music Hall greeted the dis- tinguished elocutionist upon his first ap- pearance in our city and moreover, an audience most appreciative of the enter- tainment afforded them. The Prof. was introduced by Rev. Mr. Speare and read Dickens "Christmas Carol" which he said Thackery had pronounced the best Charity sermon even written.

The reading admitted of great variety and he remarked was most appropriate to the season when "Chrismas had already captivated head, heart and pockets."

One of Mrs. Stowe's "Old Town stories" followed, which was very laughable and thoroughly enjoyed. In a very different vein, but equally well rendered, was the next piece on the programme, "Robert of Sicily," by Longfellow, which was listened to with breathless attention. Next fol- lowed the scene between Mark Twain and an interviewer, which was given in a man- ner worthy of the inimitably idiotic style of the writing, which is the best praise that could be rendered. Again with rapid transition the scene from Hamlet between the grave diggers was presented, well ex- hibiting the dramatic qualities of the speaker; indeed we could well believe there were really the several characters be- fore him.

Very pathetic was "The Chief Engineer's Story," and many eyes filled with tears ere its conclusion. The climax was reached in "The Charity Dinner," a satire and bur- lesque upon certain phases of so called charity societies. It represented the scene at a grand anniversary dinner of a society for the distribution of blankets and top boots to the Cannibal Islands and was most ridiculous and severely satirical. English after dinner toasts were caricatured in tru- ly wonderful style and the audience was convulsed with laughter again and again.

We venture to say that should Prof. C. again visit our city, our largest hall might well be opened to accommodate those who would wish to hear him.

Decisions at Law.

The following decisions have been receiv- ed by James H. Burgess, Clerk of the East- ern Law District:

WALDO COUNTY CASE.

Dow & als. vs. Grant & als., Adm.'s, in equity. Bill sustained and decree as pray- ed for with costs.

Rescript—The plaintiffs and defts., intestate, were owners of the bark "Arietta," the latter being agent and managing owner until his death, March 9, 1876. In Jan., 1875, the master remitted from Montevideo to Baring Bros. & Co., London, a bill of exchange for £447:6:10 st'g. payable ninety days after sight, instructing them to deduct £120:1:6— amount of his draft on them, and place the balance (£327:5:1) to the credit of defendants intestate, which was done. On March 9, 1876, Baring Bros. & Co., wrote to said intestate advising him of the facts. The letter was received by the defendants March 24, 1876, after their appointment. The es- tate of the intestate has been rendered insolvent and the claim proved against it as contingent. Before bringing this bill the complainants de- manded of the defendants the amount of the bal- ance less the share accruing to their intestate as owner, which was refused. Held, that the com- plainants' bill will be sustained and that they are entitled to the decree as prayed for, with costs.— *Thompson v. White*, 45 Me. 445.

Everett Staples & als. vs. Henry H. Grant & al., Adm'rs & als. Bill sustained; de- cree as prayed for.

Rescript—McGilvery in his life time was an own- er with the complainants of the ship "S. F. Her- sey" and with the defendants of the bark "Moon- beam." He was also the agent and managing own- er of both vessels. In October, 1875, Bryer Grace & Co., at Callao, Peru, received from the master of the ship a sum of money which, at the request of the master of the "Moonbeam," they paid over to him for the use of his vessel, and immediately notified McGilvery of that fact, whereupon Mc- Gilvery charged on his books the amount to the "Moonbeam" and credited it to the "S. F. Her- sey." This act ratified the payment of the money by Bryer Grace & Co., and made it in fact a loan of money from one vessel to the other. The act of McGilvery was done by him as the agent of the two vessels, for the purpose of keeping his account as such with each. The effect of it may have been to make him personally liable to the owners of the "S. F. Hersey," but it does not release the owners of the "Moonbeam" from their indebtedness, nor does it transfer that debt to himself. This as agent he could not do. The debt still remains un- paid by the debtors and due to the original cred- itors. Nor is it mixed up with other transactions so that the debt cannot be identified, or its owner- ship traced. The agreed facts clearly show an amount of money in the hands of the defendants received from the plaintiffs, which has never been accounted for, and for which the plaintiffs are en- titled to a decree as prayed for.

Pullen vs. Glidden. Exceptions over- ruled.

Rescript—In an action for malicious prosecution it is competent for the defendant to prove, as hav- ing some bearing upon the questions of want of probable cause and malice in fact, that prior to the prosecution complained of it was the common report in the neighborhood of the parties that the plaintiff has committed the crime for which he was prosecuted. Such common report is not of itself sufficient to show probable cause, but in connection with other eliminatory facts or infor- mation, that came to the knowledge of the defend- ant before he commenced proceedings, it may tend to show it, and to negative malice. The unex- plained neglect of the plaintiff in a suit for malic- ious prosecution to appear or testify at the trial of his case is a matter competent for the considera- tion of the Jury upon the question of want of probable cause. Either party in such a case has a right upon request therefore to a direct and spe- cific ruling as to whether the facts proved or ad- mitted, taken together, do or do not show a want of probable cause. But in order to enable the Court to determine whether the excepting party was aggrieved by a refusal to give such specific ruling, it must appear by his exceptions that all the vital facts or evidence bearing upon the ques- tion are therein stated, or so much of the same as may enable the Court to determine that the ruling ought to have been in his favor.

Round the World in One Hundred and Seventeen Days.

A striking illustration of the extent and excellence of the arrangements for inter- national mail service, which have result- ed from the Postal union, is given in an official publication received by our super- intendent of foreign mails from the Berne central bureau. A resident of Chemnitz, Saxony, mailed at that place at 7 P. M., on the 24th of May last, a postal card ad- dressed to himself, carrying a request to all postmasters to dispatch it successively and without loss of time to Alexandria, Singapore, Yokohama, San Francisco and New York, and thence to Chemnitz, his object being to win a wager that, with the existing postal arrangements, the circuit of the world could thus be made by postal matter within one hundred and twenty days.—The request was complied with, and the card arrived in Chemnitz from New York on the one hundred and seven- teenth day after the date of original mail- ing. The Postmaster General of Germany has caused this card to be photographed, and transmitted a copy to the Berne Inter- national Bureau, with the remark that had it been posted one hour earlier it would have accomplished its journey in ninety- six days instead of one hundred and seven- teen.

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Hope nestled in the bottom of Pandora's box, and Hope plumes her wings anew since the arrival of Yellowstone.

The moon so wise her course doth steer, She travels in sunshine all this year. If you would do likewise, try Yellowstone.

"A thousand cheerful omens," portend the luxurious goodness of the beautiful WAX FLOSS Hair dressing. Prepared only by Caswell & Co., of Boston; pro- prietors of Caswell & Co.'s SLIPPERY ELM LOZENGES, for Coughs, and Cas- well's "NEW" ELIXIR, for the Blood. For sale by all druggists.

For the life of all flesh is the blood there- of,—then cleanse it with Yellowstone's certain specific for the blood.

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dec16 d&w2w CALDWELL SWEET, Agt.

There was an increased attendance at the Hotel yesterday to consult with Yellow- stone.

Marine Journal.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

BOSTON. Ar 20th, schr Ellen Perkins, Smith, Lynn (to load for Africa).

PORTLAND. Ar 19th, bark Ada P Gould, Mer- ritt, Alexandria, Egypt; schrs Olive Elizabeth, Lindsey, Boston; Advance, Waldron, do; Myra Sears, Jellison, Newburyport; Ada F Ames, Achorn, Rockland.

NEW YORK. Ar 20th, brig Anna Elizabeth, Dean, Stamford; schrs Convoy, French, Eastport; George & Albert, Marshall, New Bedford. Cld, brig Emma L Hall, Perry, Matanzas; schr City of Chelsea, Goodwin, Nassau, NP.

BALTIMORE. Ar 19th, brig J F Merry, Brad- ley, Leghorn.

NORFOLK. Cld 20th, ship William A Campbell, Hathorn, Liverpool.

WOOD'S HOLE. Ar 20th, schr Prescott Hazel- tine, Swett, Charleston, with phosphate.

FOREIGN PORTS.

At Demerara, Dec 19, schr Ada F Whitney, Mas- ters, from Barbados for Pascagoula, to load for Cuba, to sail 20th.

Sld from Shanghai, Nov 5, ship Anna Camp, Gardner, Mejillones.

SPOKEN.

Dec 7, lat 23, lon 72.32, schr Nellie Doe, Trask, from St Johns, PR, for North of Hatteras.

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LURA DEANE,

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[Continued.]

But of late new needs had begun to stir the inactive in Lura. Even beam's nature, and her spirit had grown something beyond the hitherto quiet of her country life.

To attend the academy the ensuing winter had formed the *ultima thule* of the girl's hopes; but here an opportunity presented itself to go not one but many quarters. It was this thought, more than the beautiful home and the broad grounds, which decided the matter.

I will go, answered Lura, but the tears were in her eyes.

So it was settled that the next Monday he should leave her old home for the new.

Good by, Fury.' And as Uncle Tim said the words his strong arm tightened round the child's waist.

I shall miss my little girl o nights when I come home tired and cross, and no Lura eyes dancing out a welcome for me at the kitchen door. I s pose it's for your good though so I won't put a feather in the way o' your gettin' on. Good by child, be a good girl.' Uncle Tim's voice was certainly a-wing way. There goes that calf again!' and he strode out of the back door, although the valuable life of that quadruped would be sacrificed to five minutes' longer talk with Lura.

He came the parting with grandma, that was the harde t of all, and when she saw the tears on the old woman's cheeks, torn with brave heart completely broke down. But Tom was whistling impatiently at the door and she could not wait. What a great mercy it is that drivers are always in a hurry!

Judge Welden's family consisted of his wife, a housekeeper and several domestics. The old gentleman was frequently absent on professional business, he was rather a domestic man in his own house hold.

One Monday in June there was a very happy party at the table. At the time she used often to think that the All Father took her by the hand and led her to that new home that her beautiful little charge, grew wonderously dear to his nurse, or rather stepmother for Lura's duties were only named and little one would stand for hours at the bay window of the drawing room to look pressed up against the glass watching for Uncle Tim's coming. At last through the shrubbery every day, with the hour o'clock shadows.

The judge was very kind to Lura, and it is certain that his grave proud manner drew a shade over the fawn with which took on her step and countenance from her sister, and so I was in constant knotty problems which I could not solve. But she did not say a word of the bright spirit which the child's presence brought across the room, except to say, 'I hate mathematics, and I never touch you again as long as I live.'

Then will you bring that book to me?' It was very calm and very gentle. Lura laid it up and in the next room sat Judge Welden laying down the paper he had been reading.

He kept the child, as with a flushed cheek the little girl obeyed him.

Now I want you to walk down to the gate—they were in the farthest corner of the grounds), and then return to me. Don't think about your lesson, listen only to the song of the birds, and see if you don't sound very sweet in the summer time.

In less than a quarter of an hour Lura returned. The troubled flush had gone out of her face, and it looked very happy now for the birds had sung their sweet ballads to her heart.

Now bring your slate and tell me where is the trouble,' said the Judge, after the pupil's reading glance into her eyes.

She sat down by him and in a few moments had explained all plain to her.

Why, I see it now, how strange I didn't before!' and she looked up with her brown eyes full of light.

So you are not going to abjure mathematics after all?' Her cheeks were instantly flushed again for she knew the allusion was a reproof.

I'm sorry I spoke so, but this foolish sum has troubled me all day, I never liked mathematics as I do all the rest of my studies.

For that very reason you ought to conquer them quickly, determinately, persistently set about it, do you understand me Lura?

Her speaking face duplicated the calm earnestness of his.

Yes I will do it too.'

I do not doubt it, but there is another and a greater victory for you to achieve, Lura.'

Her eyes softened down to tears.

I know I get troubled and angry very easily,' she said, I am always sorry when it is over, but it seems as if I couldn't help it for the moment; but I mean to try.'

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Among the additional series of papers to appear may be mentioned those on HOW SHALL WE SPELL (two papers by Prof. Counsbury), THE NEW SOUTH, LAWS FACILITATING FOR SMALL PLACES (by Samuel Parsons, of Flushing), CANADA OF TO DAY AMERICAN ART AND ARTISTS, AMERICAN ARMS AND GUNS, FAMOUS INVENTORS, also, Papers of Travel, History Physical Science, Studies in Literature, Political and Social Science, stories, Poems, "Topics of the Time" by Dr. J. G. Holland, Record of New Inventions and Mechanical Improvements, Papers on Education, Decoration, etc., Book Reviews, Fresh Jokes from Punch, etc., etc., etc.

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This is to give notice that a petition has been presented to the Court, this 5th day of December, 1878, by John M. Kilgore, of Skowhegan, a Bankrupt, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts, provable under the Bankrupt Act, and upon reading said petition

It is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same, on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1879, before the Court in Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that the second meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt, be held before Charles Hamlin, Esq., Register, on the 10th day of January, 1879, and the third meeting of the same on the 16th day of January, 1879, and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier and the Somerset Reporter, newspapers printed in said District, once a week for three successive weeks, and once in the weekly Bangor Courier, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the day of hearing, and that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest, may appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said Petition should not be granted.

WM. P. PREBLE,

Clerk of District Court for said District.

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District Court of the United States, District of Maine.

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In the matter of CECIL J. BURRILL, Bankrupt, IN BANKRUPTCY.

This is to give notice that a petition has been presented to the Court, this 5th day of December, 1878, by Cecil J. Burrill, of Skowhegan, a Bankrupt, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts, provable under the Bankrupt act, and upon reading said petition

It is Ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same, on the first Monday of February, A. D., 1879, before the Court in Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and that the second meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt be held before Charles Hamlin, Esq., Register, on the 6th day of January, 1879, and the third meeting of the same on the 16th day of January, 1879, and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig & Courier and the Piscataquis Observer, newspapers printed in said District, once a week for three successive weeks, and once in the weekly Bangor Courier, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the day of hearing, and that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest, may appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said Petition should not be granted.

WM. P. PREBLE,

Clerk of District Court for said District.

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Bangor, Dec 11, 1878

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Kenduskeag National Bank.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Kenduskeag National Bank, of Bangor, for the choice of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them, will be held at their Banking room on TUESDAY, the 14th day of January, 1879, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Per order. C. H. HAMMATT,

Bangor, Dec. 13th, 1878 Cashier

Merchants National Bank.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank will be held at their Banking Room, TUESDAY, Jan 14, 1879, at 3 o'clock P. M., to choose a Board of Directors and to transact any other business that may come before them.

M. T. STICKNEY, Cashier.

Bangor Dec19, 1878

Second National Bank of Bangor.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Second National Bank of Bangor will be held at their Banking Room in Bangor, on TUESDAY, the 14th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the choice of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

W. S. PENNETT, Cashier

Bangor, December 10th, 1878

Orono National Bank.

Stockholders of this Bank are notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking room, MONDAY, Jan 6, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the election of a board of Directors, and the transaction of any other business properly before them.

E. P. BUTLER, Cashier

Orono, Dec 5, 1878

First National Bank of Bangor.

The Stockholders of the First National Bank of Bangor are notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking House in Bangor, on TUESDAY, 14th day of January next, at 9 o'clock P. M., for the choice of Directors, and for such other business as may legally come before them.

F. G. WYMAN, Cashier

Bangor, Dec 11 1878

Traders National Bank.

The Stockholders of this Bank are hereby notified that their annual meeting will be held at the Bank, on TUESDAY, January 14th, 1879 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to choose a board of Directors, to see if they will loan up the bank, and to transact any other business that may come before them.

L. TRASK, Cashier

Bangor Dec 18th, 1878

Veazie National Bank of Bangor.

The Stockholders of the Veazie National Bank of Bangor are hereby notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking room, on TUESDAY the 14th day of January next, at three o'clock P. M., for the choice of Directors and for such other business as may properly come before them.

WM. G. HOLT, Cashier

Bangor Me Dec 12, 1878

Notice of Assignee of His Appointment.

In the District Court of the United States, for the District of Maine. In the matter of SAMUEL W. DOANE, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

District of Maine, ss. At Bangor, the first day of October A. D. 1878. The undersigned gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Samuel W. Doane, of Brewer, in the County of Penobscot, and State of Maine within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District, dated April 5th, 1878.

JOHN VARNEY, Assignee

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State of Maine.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Court of Probate September Term, A. D. 1878.

A certain instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of James M. Hymes, late of Kenduskeag, in said County, deceased, and which I rather I account named executor, having been presented for Probate,

ORDERED, that public notice be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Weekly Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said county, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the first Tuesday in January next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

JOHN E. GODFREY, Judge.

A true copy.—Attest

AMBROSE C. FLINT, Register

Bangor Post Office.

OFFICERS.

A. B. FARNHAM, - - - Postmaster

E. A. CUMMINGS, - - - Ass't Postmaster

W. H. S. LAWRENCE, - - - Cashier

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Ellsworth,	6 45	7 30
Belfast,	5 30	"
Bucksport,	8 00	8 15
Dixmont,	8 45	"
E. Corinth and Charleston,	"	2 30
Levant and Exeter,	"	1 30
Bradford,	"	1 30
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LETTER CARRIERS

All letters are delivered free by carriers when addressed to street and number. People should inform their correspondents of above and have their letters so dressed accordingly.

Persons changing their address at the Carrier's office can also have their letters sent, but it is much more convenient to have the street and number on, and they will be delivered earlier than if the order is put in at the office. Carriers make two deliveries daily, the first trip supplying the evening mail of their routes.

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ENVELOPES

No additional charge will be made for printing the name and request to return, across the left hand upper corner of the envelopes furnished by the Post Office Department, (samples of which may be seen at the Cash or's window,) when ordered in lots, of a thousand or more.

A request for the return of a letter to the writer, if unclaimed within thirty days, or less, written or printed with the writer's name, post office and State, across the left end of the envelope, on the face of it, will be complied with.

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Plain clasp envelopes of above furnished at $2 per thousand.

Stamps cut from Stamped Envelopes cannot be used to prepay postage. The use of such Stamps is punishable by a fine of fifty dollars.

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DOMESTIC POSTAGE

FIRST CLASS.

All Letters must be Prepaid—Letters for the Mails in the United States, three cents the half ounce or single rate. City letters, two cents half ounce or single rate.

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Newspapers.

All regular newspapers must be prepaid at the office of publication, at the rate of four cents per pound for each issue on weekly papers or those published oftener than once a week; less frequently than once a week, three cents. The same law applies to dealers.

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All letters remaining in the office are advertised on Monday of each week. If not claimed in one month thereafter, they are then forwarded to the Dead Letter office.

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Especial attention is called to the Money Order system, as a safe and cheap method of transmitting small sums through the mails. Orders are issued in sums of not more than fifty dollars. Larger amounts can be transmitted to the same person, at the same time, by additional orders.

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" over $30 and not exceeding $50,	20 cents
" over $50 and not exceeding $60,	25 cents

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Office Hours—From 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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Canada,
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Ceylon,
Chili,
China, via Southampton,
Cuba,
Denmark,
France,
Germany,
Gibraltar,
Great Britain and Ireland,
Guadaloupe, Br. mail via St Thomas,
Hawaiian Kingdom, direct mail,
Holland,
Italy,
Jamaica, direct mail,
Japan, via Europe,
Japan, via San Francisco
Mexico, direct via sea
Mexico, by land routes,
Nassau, New Providence,
Natal,
Netherlands,
New Brunswick,
Newfoundland,
New Grenada, direct mail,
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Nova Scotia,
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Messenger's Notice.

STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT, ss. November 20th, A. D. 1878.

This is to give notice, that on the twenty fifth day of November, A. D. 1878, a warrant in Insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for the said County of Penobscot, against James Hurley of Bangor, in said County, dyeing to be an Insolvent Debtor, on petition of part of his creditors which was filed on the twenty third day of November A. D. 1878, by which said named date the last on claims is to be computed: that the payment of debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor to him, or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held in the Court of Insolvency, at Oldtown at the Probate Court Room, in Bangor, on the 21st day of December A. D. 1878, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

G. S. BEAN, Deputy Sheriff,

As Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot.

P. G. WHITE, Solicitor

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In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine. In the matter of AZRO H. JONES, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

Notice of Assignee of His Appointment.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine. In the matter of Felix Quinn, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

DISTRICT OF MAINE, ss. At Bangor, the 21 day of June A. D. 1878. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Felix Quinn, of Bangor, in the County of Penobscot and State of Maine, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District dated April 5th, 1878.

JOHN VARNEY, Assignee

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State of Maine.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Court of Probate September Term, A. D. 1878.

A certain instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of James M. Hymes, late of Kenduskeag, in said County, deceased, and which I rather I account named executor, having been presented for Probate,

ORDERED, that public notice be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Weekly Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said county, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the first Tuesday in January next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

JOHN E. GODFREY, Judge.

A true copy.—Attest

AMBROSE C. FLINT, Register

Commissioners' Notice.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Dec 4 A D 1878

We the undersigned having been duly appointed by the Hon. Charles Hamlin, Judge of Probate for said county, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims of the creditors of

JOSEPH B. ROSS, late of Bangor, in said county, deceased, whose estate has been represented insolvent, do give notice that we will agreeably to the order of the said Judge of Probate, that one month from and after the first Tuesday in November, 1878, has been allowed to said creditors to bring in and prove their claims, and that we will attend to the service of said trust at the office of Charles N. Hersey in said Bangor, on MONDAY the 16th day of December instant, and on SATURDAY, Dec 28th inst at ten of the clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

JOHN MANN,

CHARLES N. HERSEY, Commissioners

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State of Maine.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Court of Probate, October Term, A. D. 1878.

Upon the petition of Olive P. Millett, widow of Alex Millett, late of Garland in said County deceased, praying that administration on the estate of which said deceased is possessed.

Ordered, That notice be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig & Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in November next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

JOHN E. GODFREY, Judge

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